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In Memoriam.

ASHLEY—In ever-loving memory of Maurice, 2nd Lieutenant, Royal Irish Fusiliers, killed in action, 23rd November, 1917. "To live in hearts we love is not to die."

ELMITT—In proud and ever-loving memory of Leslie Joyce, Captain, M.C., Welsh Regiment, killed in action in France, November 24th, 1917, eldest son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Elmitt, Ennis.

HILTON—In loving memory of H. S. Hilton, 2nd Leinsters and R.C.S.I., O.T.C., killed 23rd November, 1917, whilst leading an attack on Passas Pill Box. Second Anniversary. "Till with the morn. Inserted by a few who loved him.

BIRTHS.

ARCHDALE—November 17, 1919, at Laragh, Ballinamallard, the wife of William F. Archdale, of Kenlis, the Sudan (son of Edward M. Archdale, M.P., of Riversdale, Ballinamallard), of a daughter.

ARMSTRONG—November 20, 1919, at Corry Bridge, Carrick-on-Shannon, to Rev. and Mrs. Alan Armstrong, a son.

BRISCOE—November 21, 1919, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam st., the wife of C. H. Briscoe, a daughter.

DUNBAR-CARPENTER—October 21, 1919, at Nyanza House, Dublin, the wife of J. S. Dunbar-Carpenter, of a daughter.

FARRINGTON—November 13, 1919, at Shenley Nursing Home, Holywood, to Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Farrington (nee E. Maud White), a daughter.

GILMORE—November 20, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gilmore, 88 South Circular rd., Portobello, Dublin, a daughter.

HANNICK—November 20, 1919, at "Iona," Rose Park, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hannick, Rosemount, a daughter.

JAMESON—November 22, 1919, at Bedford House, Balbriggan, the wife of the Rev. W. L. Jameson, of a son.

MAULEY—November 18, 1919, at 5 Mount Crescent, to Doctor and Mrs. C. J. MacAuley, of 32 Lower Fitzwilliam st., Dublin, a daughter.

RUTLEDGE—November 20, 1919, at Wylde Green Nursing Home, near Birmingham, to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rutledge, a son.

WATSON—November 19, 1919, at 8 Dalymount, Phibsborough, to Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, a son.

WOOD—November 19, 1919, at 89 Lower Bagot st., to Pareso and Norman Wood, a son.

MARRIAGE.

NORMAN and FITZGERALD—November 12, 1919, at the Church of Our Lady of Victories, Kensington, by the Rev. R. Owen, C.C., Michael J. Norman, 147 Holland rd., Kensington, London, W., son of the late James Gorman, Ballinalug, Clarahill, Queen's Co., to Susan Elizabeth, daughter of the late Thomas Fitzgerald, Kildoran, Co. Tipperary, and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Rahcenahone House, Stradbally, Queen's Co.

DEATHS.

BOYLE—At 40 Grove End rd., St. John's Wood, London, suddenly, from heart failure, Mary Anne (Mai), widow of Hugh Boyle.

BREAKEY—November 22, 1919, at his residence, in Dublin, William Alexander Breakey, B.L., in his 82nd year. Funeral private.

BRERETON—Friday, November 21, 1919, at Suburbs, Nenagh, Emma Augusta, dearly-loved daughter of the late Colonel T. S. Brereton, and of Mrs. Brereton, Rathurles, Nenagh. "Come into Me all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."—Matt. xi., verse 28.

BURNETT—November 23, 1919, at Home for Incurables, Clontarf, Elizabeth, daughter of the late John Burnett, of Dublin, in her 93rd year. "At rest." Funeral to Mount Jerome to-morrow (Monday) morning.

CADDOO—November 21, 1919, at her residence, Glasnagh, Dungannon, wife of Samuel John Cadoo. "With Christ, which is far better."

COWAN—November 22, 1919, at Edenville, Rosemons (the residence of his son-in-law), Captain Hugh Cowan, aged 82. Funeral (private) to-day (Monday), to Greenore.

CULLEN—November 22, 1919, at 17 Kenilworth square, Rathgar, Dublin, Mary Ellen, dearly-loved wife of John R. Cullen. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing husband and children. R.I.P.

DAVIS—November 22, 1919, at his residence, 13 Clonliffe rd., Drumcondra, Alfred Ryland, beloved husband of Bertha Davis, and second son of late William Davis, Cardiff, aged 52 years (late Manager Douglas and Watts, Ltd., Dublin). Funeral arrangements in to-morrow's papers.

GARLAND—On Sunday, November 23, 1919, at Dunboyne, Bridget Violet, aged 22 years, eldest dau. of Charles Richard Garland, Melbourne, Australia, and only daughter of James and Mary Ellen Hyde, H.M.C.S., Leeson st., Dublin, D.L.P. Funeral from University Church, St. Stephen's Green, on Wednesday, at 10 a.m.

GASH—November 21, 1919, at National Bank, Roscommon, Dora Christina Gash, relict of the late Alexander Gash, Bank Inspector.

HILL—November 22, 1919, at her residence, Glengoe, Greystones, Co. Wicklow, Charlotte Hutton Hill, relict of the late William Frederick Hill, in her 77th year. "With Christ, which is far better." Funeral (private) for Mount Jerome.

HUDSON—November 23, 1919, at his residence, 3 Wellington rd., Dublin, Alexander, eldest son of the late Rev. Canon Hudson, Rector of Galloon and Belleek. Funeral private.

HYNES—October 31, 1919, at her residence, Glenorchil, Maryborough, Mary, dearly-loved wife of James Hynes, and eldest daughter of the late Cary Casey, Ballycarroll. R.I.P.

LOGAN—November 23, 1919, at Ship st., Carrickmacross, Hannah Logan, aged 65, Matron, Garrison Schools Association.

MARTIN—November 23, 1919, at his residence, Ballinasloe, Co. Galway, James Martin (senior), in his 76th year. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), to Clonagh Cemetery.

MULVIN—November 22, 1919, at the Presentation Convent, Lucan, Mother Mary de Sales Mulvin, Subdeacon, 61st year of her religious life. R.I.P. Office and High Mass, at 10.30, to-morrow (Tuesday) morning at St. Mary's Church, Lucan.

NEWSOM—November 23, 1919, at Ballinabeh, Wicklow, George Newsom, aged 66 years. Funeral Wednesday, leaving Ballinabeh at 12 o'clock for New Cemetery, Arklow, arriving St. Saviour's Church 2 o'clock. No flowers.

O'SULLIVAN—On Saturday, November 22, 1919, at Mariecray Rectory, Cloughjordan, Co. Tipperary, the Rev. Daniel Leopold O'Sullivan, Archdeacon of Killaloe.

REILLY—November 23, 1919, at his residence, Ballinacurra, Limerick, Patrick Reilly, U.D.C., R.D.C. Office and High Mass St. Columbkille's Church (Sarsfield's), Tuesday, 11.30 a.m. Funeral to New Cemetery, at 2 o'clock. No flowers.

SIMPSON—November 22, 1919, at her residence, Grand Cottage, Rathfarnham, Elizabeth, dearly-beloved wife of James Simpson, Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday), 12 o'clock.

WERNER—November 21, 1919, at 5 Nursing Home, Dublin, Elizabeth Kate, youngest daughter of Sir Alfred Werner and Martha Roger Verekers.

WERNER—November 21, 1919, at 5 Richmond Hill, Monkstown, Co. Dublin (the residence of his brother-in-law, Ralph T. Varian), William Werner, of Leon Cri, eldest son of the late John Werge, of London. Funeral strictly private. American papers please copy.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs. B. C. Ferguson and family, of St. Germans, Salcey, return thanks for all kind letters of sympathy and hope friends will accept this acknowledgment.

The family of the late Mrs. J. A. Willoughby, Killarney, desire to return grateful thanks to those who so kindly sent messages of sympathy and wreaths in their recent sad bereavement, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment, as it is impossible to reply to each individually.

The family of the late Jane Winder, Gordon Hill, Monkstown, Co. Dublin, return sincere thanks to the friends who sent letters of sympathy on the death of their mother, and trust they will accept this acknowledgment.

IN MEMORIAM.

CARROLL—First Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of our dear father, William Carroll, who entered into rest on November 23rd at his residence, 151 South Circular rd. "Keep Me in memory, and take heed of the thing that is right for that shall bring a man peace at the last." Inserted by his loving children.

CODD—In loving memory of Sergeant Thomas Codd, R.I.C., who fell asleep November 24th, 1918. "To Christ, which is far better."

CODD—In loving memory of our dear brother, Thomas R. Codd, Sergeant, R.I.C., who died November 24th, 1918. "We thank God upon every remembrance of him."

MILLS—In ever-loving memory of Amelia F. Mills (Amy), who entered into rest 24th November, 1912. Deeply mourned by her children and relatives.

PARKES—Tenth Anniversary—In loving memory of Mary Jane Parkes, who departed this life at The Cottage, Camden Row, on 23rd November, 1909. "To be with Christ, which is far better." Inserted by her loving brother and sisters.

TUOHY—In loving memory of Laurence Tuohy (late of Cahernea, Nenagh), who died at Mayville Villa, Birr, on 25th November, 1918. R.I.P. Month's mind (25th inst.) for the repose of his soul at Mount St. Joseph's, Roscrea, and St. Brendan's, Birr. Inserted by his children.

WARD—In loving memory of my dear husband, Charles (Chas) Ward, who died at his residence, 6 Cottages Ter., Rosslyn, 24th November, 1912. "Resting under Jesus."

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SPECIAL 4-DAY SALE
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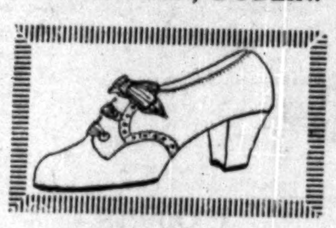

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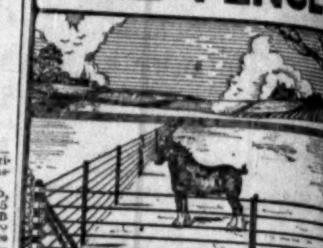

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GROOM Chauffeur Wanted, T.T., used to country. Send copy references, height, weight, age, to Levinge, Knockdrin, Mullingar. D

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CHAUFFEURS CONTINUED.
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GARDENER (First Class) requires work by day or week.—Gardener, 47 North Strand. D

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MALES CONTINUED.

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WANTED situation Plain Gardener or Labourer.—N 20, Irish Times Office, Kingstown. A

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WANTED, Working Housekeeper, city, R.C., for two gentlemen; must be good cook and highly recommended.—H 1653, this office.

WANTED, Working Housekeeper, Protestant, single gentleman, country.—"Housekeeper," Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

WANTED Hall Maid for Dentist's house, city; educated, 17.—H 1804, this office.

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EXPERIENCED Cook Wanted. Apply, between 5.30 and 7 p.m., Mrs. C. Pratt Whelan, 38 Ailesbury road, Dublin. C

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WANTED, experienced Plain Cook, able to milk, for country; no housework; small family; 3 maids kept.—Charlesworth, Carnew. B

WANTED for "Rosney," Glenageary, thoroughly experienced Singlehanded Cook; must be well recommended. B 19

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WANTED, for Co. Leitrim, Cook General; small dairy; send copies discharges, state age, wages.—La Touche, Dromahair.

WANTED, well recommended country Girl, train as Cook General; small family, Co. Dublin; copies, age, wages expected.—H 1735, this office. A

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WANTED, good, reliable General; good cooking; good wages.—53, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge. C

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The Farmyard contains cow and calf houses, barn (lofted), boiler house and concrete troughs, machine sheds, piggeries, large new hay shed of corrugated iron, 75 x 25 feet.

The Rossduff Post Office, which is on the lands, is let to Michael Delaney at £1 4s. 0d. per annum, and part of the Lands, containing about 8a. 2r. 27p., Statute measure, is sub-let to Thomas Miller as a judicial tenant at £3 0s. 0d. per annum.

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ROYAL IRISH ACADEMY OF MUSIC.

At the weekly meeting of the Governors of the Royal Irish Academy of Music, held at Westland row, Dublin, Captain T. M. Gerrard, R.A.F., M.B.E., presided. The following were also present:—Major Arthur Whewell, Sir Gabriel Stokes, K.C.S.I.; Sir John Irwin, J.P.; Mr. G. Prescott, Mr. Edmond Lupton, K.C.; Mr. W. H. Brayden, Mr. de C. Millar, Mr. A. Williams, R.H.A.; Mr. B. Warburton Rooke, Mus.B., T.C.D., and C. E. Grahame Harvey, secretary.

Minutes of last meeting were read and signed. Minutes of Routine and Finance Committees and Board of Studies were read and signed.

Resolved—That the annual meeting of members of the Royal Irish Academy of Music be held on Wednesday, 17th December, 1919, at 4.30 p.m., at the Academy.

Entries for Coulson Exhibitions, etc., were submitted. Mr. Gerald Curtis was unanimously elected a member of the Royal Irish Academy of Music.

MEETING OF BOARD OF TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION.

A meeting of the Board of Technical Instruction was held on Thursday at the offices of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, Upper Merrion street, Dublin. The following were present:—Mr. T. P. Gill, Secretary of the Department, in the chair; Rev. T. A. Finlay, M.A.; the Most Rev. Bernard Hackett, D.D.; Mr. E. J. Long, J.P.; Mr. William Macartney, J.P.; Rev. P. J. Manly, P.P., V.F., Mr. Reginald T. Meagher, Very Rev. Thomas Canon O'Reilly, P.P., V.F.; Mr. Timothy Sheehy, J.P.; Mr. Richard Sisk, and Mr. Alexander Taylor.

Mr. George Fletcher, F.G.S., Assistant Secretary in respect of Technical Instruction; Mr. W. Vickers Dixon, B.A., Senior Inspector of Technical Instruction; Mr. J. V. Coyle, Senior Staff Officer; and Mr. A. Kelly were also present.

Mr. J. V. Coyle acted as secretary to the meeting.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, 18th November, 1919.

REGULAR FORCES.—Commands and Staff.—The undermentioned relinquishes his appt.—Special Appointment.—Cl. FF.—Lt. V. A. L. O'Riley, C. Gds. Spec. Res., and relinquishes the temp. rank of Capt.

FOOT GUARDS.—I. Gds.—Lt. C. E. McCausland resigns his commn.

INFANTRY.—R. Ir. Regt.—2nd Lt. A. Reed retires, receiving a gratuity. R. Innis. Fus.—Lt. H. Lilley retires, receiving a gratuity. 2nd Lt. A. Davis retires on ret. pay. Leins. R.—Capt. W. E. Phillips, D.S.O., M.C., resigns his commn.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE.—Temp. Maj.-Gen. Sir Berkeley G. A. Moynihan, Kt., K.C.M.G., C.B., M.B., F.R.C.S. (Maj. R.A.M.C., T.F.), relinquishes his temp. commn. on reposting. Royal Army Medical Corps—The undermentioned temp. Lt.-Col. relinquishes his commn.:—Richard L. Joynt, M.D., F.R.C.S., and retains the rank of Lt.-Col. Capt. Arthur P. O'Connor, M.C., M.B., to be actg. Lt.-Col. whilst comdg. a Med. Unit, from 9th Aug. to 22nd Sept., 1919. Capt. Arthur P. O'Connor, M.C., M.B., to be actg. Maj.

MEMORANDA.—Col. C. M. Ryan, C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., h.p. list, retires on ret. pay, and is granted the hon. rank of Brig.-Gen. Col. H. O'Donnell, C.M.G., ceases to be empld. as Comdt. of a Rest Camp. Bt. Maj. E. J. Nettlefold, 5th D. Gds., relinquishes the temp. rank of Lt.-Col. on ceasing to comnd. an Officer Cadet Bn. The undermentioned to be temp. Lt.-Col. whilst specially empld.—Bt. Maj. G. N. Macready, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., R.E., whilst empld. as Chief of a Mission.

FOOT GUARDS.—I. Gds.—C. E. McCausland, late Lt., I. Gds., to be Lt., with seniority from 24th Oct., 1919.

INFANTRY.—Leins. R.—W. E. Phillips, D.S.O., M.C., late Capt. Leins. R., to be Maj.

SPECIAL RESERVE OF OFFICERS. — Reserve Units.—The undermentioned 2nd Lt. to be Lt.—4th Leins. R.—J. Gribbon.

SUPPLEMENTARY TO REGULAR UNITS OR CORPS.—Royal Garrison Artillery.—Lt. A. W. Ridler is placed on the ret. list on account of ill-health contracted on active service. Royal Army Medical Corps.—Capt. Oriel J. O'B. O'Hanlon, M.B., F.R.C.S., relinquishes the actg. rank of Maj.

REGULAR FORCES.—Service Battalions.—R. Ir. Regt.—Temp. 2nd Lt. C. H. Smith to be temp. Lt., with precedence next above L. O'Keefe. Temp. 2nd Lt. H. S. Pearson relinquishes his commission on completion of service, and retains the rank of 2nd Lt. R. Ir. Rif.—Temp. Lt.-Col. J. P. Woods, C.M.G., D.S.O., from Gen. List, to be temp. Lt.-Col. 10th Oct., 1919, with seniority 12th Jan., 1918. Temp. Lt.-Col. J. P. Woods, C.M.G., D.S.O., relinquishes his commission on ceasing to be empld., and retains the rank of Lt.-Col.

MACHINE GUN CORPS (INFANTRY).—Temp. Maj. J. R. G. Magrath (Capt. (Bt. Maj.) Linc. R.) ceases to hold the appt. of Divl. M.G. Offr. Lt. (actg. Capt.) V. R. Biddulph (5th Bn., R. Dub. Fus., Spec. Res.) ceases to hold the appt. of Adjt. Lt. V. R. Biddulph (5th Bn., R. Dub. Fus., Spec. Res.) relinquishes the actg. rank of Capt.

WAR OFFICE, 20th November, 1919.

REGULAR FORCES. — Commands and Staff.—The undermentioned relinquishes his appt.—Attd. to Hd.-Qr. Units.—Comdr.—Maj.-Gen. B. J. C. Doran, C.B.

RES. REGTS. OF CAV.—1st Res. Regt.—Temp. Lt. P. F. Hartigan relinquishes his commn. on account of ill-health caused by wounds, and retains the rank of Lt.

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY.—R.H. and R.F.A.—Lt. J. S. Carroll retires, receiving a gratuity.

INFANTRY.—R. Muns. Fus.—Lt. W. Hough retires on account of ill-health caused by wounds, receiving a gratuity.

GENERAL LIST.—Temp. Maj. M. M. Hartigan, C.M.G., D.S.O. (Lt.-Col. S. Afr. Force), relinquishes his temp. commn. on completion of service, and retains the rank of Maj.

ROYAL ARMY SERVICE CORPS.—Maj. S. J. Donovan, D.S.O., relinquishes the actg. rank of Lt.-Col.

REGULAR FORCES.—Service Battalions.—R. Ir. Fus.—Temp. Lt. W. A. Strange relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health, and retains the rank of Lt.

MACHINE GUN CORPS (CAVALRY). — Temp. 2nd Lt. F. M. Collins to be temp. Lt.

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FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Monday, November 24th, 1919.

COURT OF APPEAL.—For to-morrow (Tuesday). For Hearing. Interlocutory Appeals—Mathews v. Carroll. Final Appeals—Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, Donaghy v. King, part heard; Walker v. Holinshead; in re Compensation for Criminal Injury, Worthington v. Tipperary Coy. Col.; in re Workmen's Compensation Act, 1906, Dennis v. Midland Railway Co.; in re Mackay, a bankrupt.

CHANCERY DIVISION.—Lord Chancellor. Bef. the Lord Chancellor, 11—In re George Stephenson and James Stephenson, minors. Petitions for the Appointment of Commissioner for Oaths—William Lewis, Clonmel; Aidan P. Bolger, New Ross; Joseph Boyle, Naas. In Lunacy, Motions—15th Section (exparte), Goodbody; 68th do., G.S.; 15th do., Ross Todd; 52nd do., G.S.; 52nd do., Sutton. Petitions—12th Section, Ellis; 12th do., Turnbull and Co.; 15th do., O'Keeffe and Lynch; 68th do., Roche and Sons, Lane Joynt; 68th do., M'Donnell and Co., Kelly and Walker; 52nd do., Middleton; 52nd do., Magee; 52nd do., Ross; 52nd do. (to be mentioned), Wray and Telford; 15th do. (to be mentioned), Lett and Fetherstonhaugh, Ampleford. In Chamber—103rd Section, Tierney. At Chambers—Reilly, a minor, Jones, solr.; Gilliat, a minor; Connolly, minors, Dunn, solr.; Cowley, minor; Fuller, minors; Purcell, minors; Robertson, minors; Martin, a minor, Clarke, solr.; O'Halloran, minors; Eakins v. Beattie; Bell, petr.; Hamilton, respt. In Lunacy. Bef. the Assistant Registrar, 10.30—Veh. ac., E. F. Collins. 11.30—Veh. ac., E. White.

ROLLS.—In Chamber—Patten v. Hamilton (Tench); Grace v. Grace; Donnelly v. Donnelly (Corr); same matter and cause (O'Hare); Quinn v. Quinn; Courts (E.P.) Acts and Liquidator, Londonderry Alliance Permanent Building Society v. Shannon and anor.; Liquidators Londonderry Ideal Terminating Building Society v. M'Fadden; Courts (E.P.) Acts and Daly v. Flood; Kennedy v. Brown; Kerr, Lang, and Jackson v. M'Kinley; Ray v. Barrington; Dunne v. Wafer; S.L. Act and Earl of Portarlington; Birchall v. Moore; Kelly Attorney-General; Cruise v. Burke. In Court. Motions—Matthews v. Borthwick; Attorney-General v. Dempsey.

MR. JUSTICE POWELL.—Motions—Keeffe v. Keeffe; Looby v. Lonergan; Grundy v. Broadbent. At Chambers—Johnston v. Lindsay; Brady v. Brady; Joynt v. Matthews; O'Brien v. Connolly; Courts (E.P.) Acts, Londonderry Ideal Building Society v. Shannon; Londonderry Ideal Building Society v. Harkan; Wilson v. Vogan; Courts (E.P.) Acts, Fallon, ex parte Reid; do. Irish Provident Assce. Co. v. Healy; Byrne v. O'Keeffe; Dunne v. Taylor; Northern Banking Co. v. Alexander; Guardianship of Infants' Act and M'Kenna; Petticrew v. Scott; Settled Land Acts and Gourlay; O'Brien v. O'Brien. Bef. the Chf. Clk. 11—Groom v. Nevins; Tighe v. Tighe; Brien v. Brien; Hillis v. Hillis; O'Brien v. Droney; Cullen v. Foley; Smith v. M'Caughey. Bef. Dr. Webb, 11.30—Allen v. Shaw, veh. acct. At 2—Kennedy v. Kennedy (1916/350), veh. acct.

TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 11. Exparte Taxations—Belfast R. D.C. to Harper, H. Harper; Kerins v. Coleman, Fitzgerald and M'Cormick; National Bank v. Blennerhassett, W. H. Dunne. Master Denning, 11—Hogan, decd., Henry and Connell; do. J. Gillespie; do., Parker and M'William; do., Henry and Son; do. R. T. Martin; Harden v. Malcomson, J. S. Bernard; Redhouse v. Wilson, Brown and M'Cann; Ferguson v. Cunahan, Molloy, Fayle and Co.; same v. same, Molloy, Fayle and Co. Master Macnamara, 11—Smith v. Taggart, Caruth and Owens; Donohoe v. Wall, J. H. Walsh and Co.; Murphy v. Lynch, Thompson and M'Neill; Caraher, decd., Thompson and M'Neill.

LAND JUDGES.—Mr. Justice Ross. For Thursday, 27th November. Action—The Dublin Dockyard Co. v. The Eastern Maritime (and notice). This Day, Mr. Dick, Examiner.—Lord Bellew, veh. Receiver Office. Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11. Applications for Directions—Graves v. Shaw; E. M. Chute's estate.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.—In Court 1, 11. Crown Side. Exparte Motions. On Notice—The King (Ryan and Condon) v. Starkie, R.M., and ors. Magistrates' Case—John Fitzgerald, D.I., R.I.C., applt., Rev. S. Kelly, P.P., respt. In Court 2. Exparte Motions at 11. Summonses—National Bank v. Daly; same v. O'Donnell; same v. Moore; Stubber v. White. Garnishee Motion—Walker v. Boyd. Motions on Notice—The King v. Jury (Revenue); the King v. Peel, do.; Donohoe v. Tackney; Murphy v. Trenor; Coughlan v. Coughlan and anor.; Lyons v. M'Kenna; Bloomfield and anor. v. Morrison; Dolan and anor. v. O'Hagan Bros.; Leigh v. Hughes.

BEFORE THE LORD CHIEF JUSTICE.—In King's Bench Court No. 1, 11—To be Mentioned—Lynam v. D. U. T. Co. Before Mr. Justice Pim, in Nisi Prius Court No. 2, 11—City Special—Biggs v. Parker, specially fixed. Before Mr. Justice Gordon, in Nisi Prius Court No. 1, 11. City Common—Goodman v. Bennett; M'Entee v. Lever and Ross and a counter-claim; Dunne v. Gallagher; Mulholland v. M'Cabe. For Wednesday. City Special—Wallis and Sons v. the King. City Common—Meredith and anor. v. Sealy, specially fixed; Fitzgerald v. Fegan; Dunne v. Weymes.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chf. Registrar or Chf. Clk., 11—Mee, pr. dts., Thompson and M'Neill.

ADMIRALTY.—Exparte motions.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—Land Purchase Acts. At the Examiners' Chambers, 32 Nassau street. Before Mr. J. Herbert Shaw (Chamber No. 53), 11—Rev. B. J. Small (E.C. 5937), disch. rules. Before Mr. Jeffrey White (Chamber No. 47), 11—H. Urquhart (E.C. 6250), settle schd. Before Mr. J. Sullivan (Chamber No. 13), 11—Rev. H. M. West (E.C. 8789), disch. rules.

BEFORE THE RECORDER, 11—City of Dublin. Licensing Applications—Thomas O'Reilly; Laurence Caulfield; John Cranley; William Dowling; John Flynn; Michael Vaughan; William Dowling. Music and Dancing Licences—John Parnell Mandeville; Robert Morrison and anor.; Frank W. Chambers; Margaret Buckley and anor.; John J. Farrell. Appeal from Court of Conscience—Doyle v. Briscoe, appellant. Appeal under Licensing Acts—O'Reilly, appellant, Travers, respondent. Appeals from Magistrates—Cheray v. M'Farlane, appellant; same v. Kennedy, do.; same v. Starritt, do.; Ledwich v. Ledwich, do.; Costigan v. Costigan, do.; Roche v. O'Hara (Michael), do.; Sullivan v. Kavanagh, do.; Corporation of Dublin v. Cairns, do.; same v. Ordman, do.; same v. Kearney, do.; Barrett v. Figatner, do.; same v. same, do.; Roche v. O'Hara (Mary), do.

IRISH GAME PROTECTION ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the Executive Committee of the Irish Game Protection Association was held at 110 Grafton street, Dublin, on Wednesday. Colonel C. D. Guinness, R.F.A., presiding in the unavoidable absence of the Chairman (Mr. Edward White). There were also present:—Major J. A. Aylmer, D.L.; Dr. R. R. Leeper, Mr. Ernest H. Browne, Mr. C. Wisdom Hely, Mr. William Hogg, Mr. E. A. Trouton, and the Secretary.

The Committee considered a case in which they had traced a number of grouse as having been sent for sale from this country to a game-dealer in Leadenhall Market, London, against whom they had directed a prosecution. A letter was now read from the Association's London solicitors enclosing the following apology from the game-dealer, upon reading which the Committee decided to take no further action:—"I regret the mistake made in having consigned to me grouse from Mr —— in Ireland, who, I am now satisfied, did not possess a game certificate, and, therefore, was not entitled to consign the game, and I undertake not to act again in such manner and shall in future be careful to satisfy myself before having consigned game from any other consignors in Ireland that they hold game licences or certificates."

The Committee then dealt with correspondence relating to the administration of the game laws, shootings to let, and matters connected with the work of the Association's inspectors. They also dealt with reported offences against the game laws, and ordered prosecutions in Counties Antrim and Kildare.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

SATURDAY.

Barometer.—29.70. Wind and Weather—Westerly wind, strong breeze, dull and overcast.

Foreign Arrival.—Ss. Potomac, of London, 2,472 tons register, Captain Hart, from Port Arthur (Texas), with a cargo of oil, consigned to the Alliance and Consumers' Gas Co., D'Olier street; agents, Messrs. Anglo-American Oil Co., Upper O'Connell street; discharging at South quay.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Ss. Slieve Gallion, ss. South Stack, ss. Greenore, from Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. City of Belfast, ss. Olive, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Cato, from Bristol, with goods; ss. Kerry, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Edenwood, from Cork, with flour; ss. Athena, from Preston, with wood pulp; ss. Harrier, from Bangor, with slates; ss. Rose, from Saundersfoot, with coals; ss. Irena, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. Mayflower, ss. Zillah, ss. Saltom, ss. Esperanto, ss. Alyn, ss. Dinorwic, from Garston, with coals; ss. Ardri, from Maryport, with coals; ss. Sard, ss. Eiler, from Ayr, with coals; ss. Blackwater, from Liverpool, with coals; ss. Elizabetta, from Newport, with coals; ss. Holm Force, from Preston, with coals; ss. Penrhyn, from Troon, with coals; ss. Clarecastle, from Liverpool, with empties.

Coastwise Departures.—Ss. Slieve Gallion, ss. South Stack, ss. Greenore, for Holyhead, with goods, passengers, etc.; ss. City of Belfast, ss. Olive, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Tiger, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Louth, ss. Belfast, ss. Blackrock, for Liverpool, with goods; ss. Clarecastle, for London, with porter; Uncle Ned (schooner), for Cardiff, with timber; ss. Hercules, for Liverpool, with oats; ss. Sarah Brough, for Ormeshead, light; ss. St. Margaret, for Ardrossan, light; ss. St. Mirren, for Garston, light.

SUNDAY.

Barometer.—29.50. Wind and Weather—Strong westerly wind; overcast; passing showers.

Foreign Arrival.—Sandvigen (ship), of Christiansand (Norway), 1,768 tons register, Captain Knudsen, from Halifax (N.S.), with a cargo of deals, consigned to order; agents, Messrs. Betson and Co., 20 Eden quay; discharging at Sir John Rogerson's quay.

Coastwise Arrivals.—Ss. Galtee More, ss. Slieve Bawn, from Holyhead, with passengers and goods, ss. Carlow, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Thistle, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Lady Cloe, from London, with goods; ss. Carrowdore, ss. Princess Melita, from London, with empties; ss. Clareisland, from Manchester, with empties; ss. Alder, from Cork, with empties; ss. Marie, ss. Arleia, from Garston, with coals; ss. Holyhead, from Ardrossan, with coals; ss. Talacre, from Point of Aire, with coals; ss. The Sultan, from Cardiff, with coals; ss. Mango, from Newport, with coals; ss. The Baron, from Newport, with coals; ss. Madie, from Ellesmereport, with clay; ss. Patricia, from Cardiff, with goods and coal.

Coastwise Departures.—Progress, for Connah's quay, with scrap iron; ss. Eiler, ss. Dinorwic, ss. Mayflower, ss. Thelma, ss. Zillah, for Garston, light; ss. Esperanto, for Ayr, light; ss. Saltom, ss. Rose, for Birkenhead, light; ss. Lancashire, for Dinmor, light; ss. Sard, for Troon, light; ss. Irena, for Point of Aire, light; ss. Blackwater, for Whitehaven, light; ss. Alyn, for Piel, light; ss. Ardri, for Maryport, light; ss. Athena, for Preston, light; ss. Annie, for Liverpool, light; ss. Gwenllian (trawler), for Fleetwood, light.

COOMBE HOSPITAL.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Guardians and Directors of the Coombe Hospital was held in the Boardroom of the hospital last Tuesday, when there were present:—James Robinson (in the chair), Dr. Louis A. Byrne, Rev. Thomas H. Seale, M.A.; Charles H. Chaytor, Wellington Darley, J.P.; P. W. Tunney, Dr. W. Lombard Murphy.

The minutes of last meeting of the Board, also those of House Committee, were read, confirmed, and signed, and cheques ordered to be signed in payment of monthly accounts amounting to £580. Correspondence of a varied nature having been considered and ruled upon, the monthly reports of the Registrar, Matron, and Staff Sister Nurses' Home were submitted and approved.

Applications for the post of Collector to the hospital were considered, and the Board having interviewed a number of candidates, Mr. Crawford Shortt was appointed to solicit and receive subscriptions and donations on behalf of the charity.

Routine business having been transacted, the Board adjourned.

The Guardians and Directors desire to return grateful thanks to Michael K. Roche, Esq., J.P., for his donation of £50; Vincent Scully, Esq., £5, and the Committee of the Hospitals' Athletic Meeting for £13 8s., being part proceeds of athletic sports held at Lansdowne road, and they would most earnestly request further financial assistance from the charitable public towards the hospital funds, as the debt due to the bankers greatly impedes the good work of the charity. Donations may be sent to any member of the Board, or to the Registrar at the hospital.

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IRELAND.
Wednesday and Thursday—Limerick.
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Wednesday and Thursday—Newbury.
Friday and Saturday—Kempton Park.

SPORTING NEWS.

MANCHESTER MEETING—SATURDAY.

KING JOHN WINS THE NOVEMBER HANDICAP.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

MANCHESTER, Saturday Night.

Prodigious is the only term which adequately describes the attendance for the final stage of the flat racing season at Castle Irwell yesterday. Fortunately the threatened downpour was absent, and the crowds were regaled with some exciting racing. It is doubtful whether, during its fine records, the race for the November Handicap has ever been witnessed by a larger company, or, for that matter, presented a more open appearance. In the parade, King John was, without doubt, the gentleman of the party, while the big, upstanding Golden Fleece looked a picture, Planet looked well, but Not Much was a little rough in the coat. The wagering before racing favoured Chat Tor, who was backed down to 3 to 1, but with money for Alasnam, who wound up with the call, the Manton representative went out to 9 to 2. As will be realised from the return, it will be seen that, as is frequently the case, something came to the rescue of what appeared to be a miscalculation concerning the merits of Chat Tor. To say that Chat Tor was left would be wrong, but undoubtedly he lost ground at the start, which seriously affected his prospects, with the result that before the first turn was made he was nearly fifty yards behind the leader, Royal Bucks. African Star also lost ground, while Wildfellow half whipped round as the barrier ascended. Royal Bucks dashed away with the lead, pursued by Not Much, Gay Lord, Planet, Grand Fleet, and Golden Fleece, with Alasnam next, and Wildfellow settling down last. Royal Bucks still led the field a merry dance round the top bend, but Grand Fleet, showing rare dash, and Planet were always within striking distance. Golden Fleece and King John were hereabouts travelling smoothly enough. Turning into the straight Royal Bucks still led from Grand Fleet, and Donoghue moved Alasnam up into third place, with King John and Chat Tor in hot pursuit. Half-way up the straight Royal Bucks had shot his bolt, and King John, racing to the front, the race was practically over from this point. Chat Tor struggled on gamely, but failed to reduce the gap, or, for that matter, overhaul Planet, who could make no impression upon King John, who, coming away at the distance, won in the easiest fashion imaginable. Details :—

12.45.—FAREWELL HANDICAP, £5 each, £200 added. 1 m.
Mr. Lowry's ch. g. UGLY DUCKLING, by Tredennis—Bachelor's Beauty, 5, 7-12..J. Ledson 1
Sir W. Cooke's MARL, 3, 7-8..........Garnett 2
Mr. J. White's SIR BERKELEY, 4, 9-8 F. Templeman 3
Also ran—Starshot (A. Smith), Jack Role (Jelliss), My Land (Wheatley), Sanitarium (Donoghue), Sanddrift (G. Colling), Trespasser (Whalley), Sally Crag (T. Weston), Mountain Dawn (R. Stokes), Brance (Slade), and Buckstaffe (Riley). (Winner trained by H. Powney.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. UGLY DUCKLING, 7 to 1 each Sir Berkeley and Sally Crag, 8 to 1 Marl, 100 to 12 Brance, 100 to 8 Trespasser, 100 to 6 any other. Won by four lengths; three lengths.

1.15.—BERESFORD STAKES, £5 each, £200 added. 6 f.
Lord Wilton's br. c. ROCKSAVAGE, by Rock Sand—Manuka, 4, 8-1 ....Garnett 1
Mrs. Brownlee's SHOEMAKER, 3, 8-3......Jelliss 2
Mr. F. Hardy's BURLY, 3, 8-8..........Carslake 3
Also ran—Lovely Morning (Slade), Clap Gate (Shatwell), Daddy Longlegs (Hurst), Sanicle (M'Guigan), Miss Teviot (Angus), Attention (Whalley), and Damaged Goods (Donoghue). (Winner trained by H. Leader.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. ROCKSAVAGE, 3 to 1 Shoemaker, 5 to 1 Damaged Goods, 6 to 1 each Burly and Daddy Longlegs, 10 to 1 Clap Gate, 100 to 8 any other. Won by a neck; a length and a half. The winner was sold to Mr. H. L. Cottrill for 400 gns.

1.50.—SATURDAY PLATE, £200. 5 f.
Mr. Isancroft's ch. g. MINSTREL JOY, by Acclaim—Minstrel Girl II., 6, 7-8......Shatwell 1
Mr. H. Heaton's BE WISE, 3, 7-12......G. Colling 2
Sir W. Cooke's LANDING NET, 3, 8-7 ......Slade 3
Also ran—Toby (R. Stokes), Melit (Garnett), Staples (Donoghue), Playing Field (Ledson), Wee Mon (E. Wheatley), Switchback (M'Guigan), Intense (Crisp), Lothian Lad (F. Huxley), Esplanadian (W. Balding), Cronelles (Ringstead), Magic Bird (Crickmere), Chusanji (R. Taylor), and Miss Frederick (T. Weston). (Winner trained by Easterby.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. Wee Mon, 4 to 1 Miss Frederick, 10 to 1 each Melit and Staples, 100 to 8 MINSTREL JOY, 100 to 6 any other. Won by a length and a half; a neck.

2.30.—MANCHESTER NOVEMBER HANDICAP, £1,500. 1½ m.
Capt. Loder's ch. c. KING JOHN, by Roi Herode—Miranda, 4, 8-6 ....E. Wheatley 1
Mr. G. Barclay's PLANET, 5, 8-12......H. Robbins 2
Mr. W. Singer's CHAT TOR, 3, 7-0 (car. 7-2) Shatwell 3
Lord Glanely's Grand Fleet, 5, 9-2........A. Smith 0
Mr. J. White's Gay Lord, 3, 8-5........A. Whalley 0
Mr. F. Hardy's Not Much, 4, 8-3 (car. 8-4) Carslake 0
Mr. W. Parrish's Golden Fleece, 4, 8-0....F. Slade 0
Lady Queensberry's Royal Bucks, 6, 7-13 H. Jelliss 0
Sir A. Bailey's Alasnam, 3, 7-11........S. Donoghue 0
Mr. H. Bottomley's Aynsley, 6, 7-7........Crickmere 0
Mr. T. Martin's African Star, 3, 7-6..W. Balding 0
Lord Wilton's Jack Point, 4, 7-3..........Brennan 0
Mr. de Mestre's William Allenby, 3, 7-0 (car. 7-2) G. Colling 0
Lord D'Abernon's Dionysos, 4, 7-0........F. Huxley 0
Mr. G. W. Smith's John Jackett, 6, 6-13..Weston 0
Mr. W. Parrish's Wildfellow, 4, 6-10....A. Garnett 0
Mr. D. J. Jardine's Gotha, 4, 6-5 (car. 6-9) C. Ringstead 0
(Winner trained by Gilpin.)
Betting—11 to 4 agst. Alasnam, 9 to 2 CHAT TOR, 13 to 2 KING JOHN, 10 to 1 each PLANET and John Jackett, 100 to 9 Golden Fleece, 100 to 6 Aynsley, 20 to 1 each Grand Fleet, Not Much, Royal Bucks, and African Star, 25 to 1 each William Allenby and Wildfellow, 30 to 1 Dionysos, 33 to 1 each Gay Lord and Jack Point, 50 to 1 Gotha. Place betting at proportionate odds.
Wildfellow whipped round at the start, and Royal Bucks dashed off in front of Not Much, Gay Lord, Planet, Golden Fleece, Alasnam, and Dionysos, with Wildfellow settling down last. Along the far side Royal Bucks still led from Grand Fleet, Planet, Golden Fleece, King John, William Allenby, Dionysos, and Gay Lord. Entering the straight, Royal Bucks carried on the running and Alasnam became third, with Golden Fleece and King John heading the others. Half-way up the straight Royal Bucks was beaten and King John took command from Chat Tor and Alasnam, with Planet, on the rails, next, and, coming right away at the distance, King John won in a canter by four lengths; same. Alasnam 4th, Grand Fleet 5th, Aynsley 6th, Wildfellow 7th, Gotha 8th, John Jackett 9th, Not Much 10th, and Gay Lord last.

3.5.—WORSLEY NURSERY, £300. 1 m.
Lord Derby's b. f. CREVASSE, by Harry of Hereford—Glacier, 7-8 ....Colling 1
Mr. B. Steele's ORANGE WILLIAM, 6-13 Taylor 2
Mr. A. Sadler's (jun.) FOOL PROOF, 6-3..Wragg 3
Also ran—Fancy Man (Carslake), Comet's Tail (Garnett), Shakerley (Donoghue), Tring colt (Brennan), Marie Therese (Shatwell), Eccleston (Weston), Optimism filly (H. Wheatley), Lucy Farrand colt (M'Guigan), Athelta gelding (P. Jones), Gattamelata (Stokes), St. Griselda filly (Crickmere), Nonentity (Ringstead), Bellatana (Spear), Earn Combe (Huxley), Dunstable Crambo (W. Balding). (Winner trained by Lambton.)
Betting—5 to 5 agst. Fancy Man, 9 to 2 Comet's Tail, 7 to 1 CREVASSE, 100 to 8 each Shakerley, Marie Therese, Eccleston, and Fool Proof, 100 to 7 Orange William, 100 to 6 Gattamelata, 20 to 1 any other. Won by two lengths; four lengths.

3.30.—FINAL PLATE, £300. 1¼ m.
Lord Glanely's br. c. THE MIDSHIPMITE, by Steadfast—Favorita, 3, 8-10 ....A. Smith 1
Mr. A. R. Cox's MANILARDO, 3, 9-3...Donoghue 2
(Winner trained by Barling.)
Betting—11 to 10 agst. THE MIDSHIPMITE, who won by six lengths.

LINGFIELD MEETING—SATURDAY.

1.0—FOUR ELMS NURSERY, £200. 5 f.
Mr. H. T. Young's b. f. QUICK MEG, by Dorando—Mons Meg, 8-0 ....Spear *
Mr. F. J. Benson's b. c. FIRST LEAF, by Maiden Erlegh—Sweet Palm, 6-11....Speck *
Mr. A. F. Calvert's SPIDER LEGS, 8-4 W. Griggs 3
Also ran:—Amerendian f. (Orchard), Fly (Piper), Buzz Buzz (Hulme), Santfreda f. (K. Piggott), Cyllena (A. Balding), Midi (F. Lane), Tangent c. (A. Smith), Yvonne B. f. (T. Morgan). (Quick Meg trained by H. Young; First Leaf by Hyams.)
*Dead-heat. Stakes divided.
Betting—100 to 30 agst. Spider Legs, 9 to 2 Buzz Buzz, 5 to 1 QUICK MEG, 7 to 1 Santfreda f., 10 to 1 Tangent c., 100 to 8 each FIRST LEAF and Yvonne B. f., 100 to 6 any other. A dead-heat; a head. The winner was bought in for 210 gns. First Leaf sold to Mr. P. Hartigan for 160 gns.

1.30—BACK-END HANDICAP, £150. 6 f.
Mr. W. B. Baker's b. g. BRAVO, by Quantock—Lady Letitia, 3, 7-9 ....Hulme 1
Mr. W. H. Dixon's TWINCAT, 5, 7-7....A. Balding 2
Mr. A. Scott's D'AMADE, 4, 7-4..........Brimmell 3
Also ran:—Home Fire (F. Lane), Bird's Nest (W. Stott), Pick'ny (F. Leach), Clarice (V. Smyth), Arwin (Wing), Lord Archer (Spear), White Frost (Wright), Magic Prince (Wiley), Bridge of Weir (Piggott), High Society (Speck), Vale of Realm (M'Connell), Redoubt (Harris), Darley (T. Morgan). (Winner trained by Baker.)
Betting—3 to 1 agst. BRAVO, 5 to 1 Twincat, 11 to 2 Pick'ny, 6 to 1 Arwin, 7 to 1 High Society, 8 to 1 each Clarice and Bridge of Weir, 100 to 8 each Home Fire and Bird's Nest, 20 to 1 any other. Won by a head; same.

2.0—BURSTOW HANDICAP, £300. 1 m.
Mr. Harry Powney's b. h. PORTON, by Dumbarton Castle—Saengerin, 5, 7-6..........Spear 1
Mr. Rhodes' GALLY STRICKLAND, 4, 7-8 V. Smyth 2
Mr. H. Hollow's ESTON JETTY, 3, 6-11..Speck 3
Also ran:—Fair Oaks (Foley), Handsworth (W. Stott), Border Don (A. Balding), Winfrith (A. Smith). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—11 to 8 on PORTON, 9 to 2 agst. Border Don, 7 to 1 Gally Strickland, 10 to 1 each Fair Oaks, Handsworth, and Winfrith, 100 to 8 Eston Jetty. Won by half a length; a short head. The winner was sold to Mr. M'Cullagh for 510 gns.

2.30—FINALE HANDICAP, £1,000. 2¼ m.
Mr. Adam Scott's ch. g. NANT COCH, by Santoi—Monte Fiore, 6, 7-7 ....Spear 1
Mr. Z. Michalinos' ARIS, 4, 8-6........V. Smyth 2
Mr. W. H. Dixon's BLACK LAMB, 5, 8-2...Wing 3
Also ran:—Unitoi (Foley), Elsinore (J. Childs), Front Line (W. Griggs), A.A. (Hulme), East Cheshire (P. Smith), Flying Duck (Boughton), Princess Moriskia (F. Lane), Gwenevere (Hughes). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—6 to 4 on Aris, 6 to 1 agst. Unitoi, 10 to 1 Black Lamb, 100 to 6 each East Cheshire and Flying Duck, 20 to 1 NANT COCH or any other. Won by a length and a half; two lengths.

3.0—COUNTRY T.Y.O. PLATE, £104. 5 f.
Mr. W. Baker's C. by AIGLON—RUCKINGE QUEEN, 9-0 ....Wing 1
Sir A. Bailey's SUN BIRD, 8-11..........Hulme 2
Mr. E. Johnson's PRETTY PEGGY, 8-11..Foley 3
Also ran:—Balthazar (V. Smyth), Peterboro' (F. Leach), Donna Anna II. c. (Southey), Pivotal (Piper), Milo (Wiley), Dame Archie (Speck), White May filly (Griggs), Heddwch (Dale), Braxina (Forrest), Lavender (Earl), Eden Nook (Lane), Wanton (Blades), Rivoli Bay (Saxby), Prince Glen (Orchard), Malinkala (Harris). (Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—6 to 5 agst. RUCKINGE QUEEN C., 3 to 1 Sun Bird, 10 to 1 Balthazar, 100 to 9 Pretty Peggy, 20 to 1 any other. Won by a neck; four lengths.

3.30—SOUTHERN PLATE, £200. 1¼ m.
Sir E. Hulton's b. f. FLYING POST, by Stornoway—Spring Off, 3, 8-3..........V. Smyth 1
Mr. F. Curzon's YELLOW BEDSTRAW, 6, 8-9 Earl 2
Sir H. Meux's GAY GOSHAWK, 6, 8-9....Hulme 3
Also ran:—Royal Bladud (Hughes), Perforce (F. Leach), Zanzibar (Lane), Willonette (Childs), Tenacious (Piggott). (Winner trained by S. Wootton.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Gay Goshawk, 5 to 2 FLYING POST, 7 to 2 Willonette, 5 to 1 Perforce, 100 to 8 any other. Won by three parts of a length; length and a half.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

BIRMINGHAM, Sunday Night.

Judging from the appearance of the several jumping programmes already completed, the National Hunt season before us is likely to be a very good one. Indeed, at each of the meetings to be held this week the entries are excellent, but, of course, a majority of the horses engaged are backward both in condition and in schooling. At Birmingham to-morrow some of the appended may win:—Smethwick Steeplechase—**Roman.** Aston Steeplechase—**Heathencote.** Stechford Hurdle—**Gamelyn.** Sutton Hurdle—**H. Brown's selected.** Three Year Hurdle—**Eothen** or **Fidget.** Coleshill Steeplechase—**Withington's selected;** if absent, **Top Hole.**

BIRMINGHAM MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.0—SMETHWICK STEEPLECHASE, £100 2 m.
Age st. lb.
FLEETING PEACE (Mr. H. A. Brown) Owner a 11 11
ROMAN (Mr. C. J. Hill)..........Owner a 11 11
SUSANNE III. (Lt.-Col. Jickling)..Private a 11 11
WARBINE (Mr. A. Chamberlain)...Owner a 11 7
(Above have arrived.)

1.30—ASTON 'CHASE. 2 m.
Age st. lb.
BELL TOLL (Mr. H. Chappell) F. Fitton a 12 7
READY CASH (Capt. E. Wheelwright) Poole 5 11 9
SANDY CUBA (Mr. C. Hill) ......Private 6 10 12
NADINE (Mr. J. Harvie) ....Cowap 5 10 12
BALL'S BLUFF (Capt. H. Wyndham) Withington a 10 10
(The above have arrived.)
THE LAST (Mr. J. Brown) ...H. Brown a 12 2
ROYAL AID (Mr. F. Needham)...Private 6 11 11
CLEAR MONEY (Mr. H. Pepper) Private 6 11 11
RETAINE (Mr. E. Agnew) ....Private 5 11 9
HEATHENCOTE (Mr. W. Wren)....Payne 6 11 9
IRISH REBELLION (Mr. F. Brown) F. Brown 6 11 9
THOMOND (Mr. D. Gant) ....Tabor 4 11 2
MICHELINO (Mr. H. Harrison) Harrison a 10 12
JEFFRIES (Mr. J. Spurrier) ...Spurrier a 10 9
ARTISTRY (Mr. W. Lea) ....Private 5 10 2

2.0—STECHFORD HURDLE, £100. 2 m.
Age st. lb.
CHELSHO (Mr. G. Sanday) ......Sanday a 12 6
WILLING (Mr. T. Hepper) ......Private 5 11 4
(The above have arrived.)
SON O' MELTON (Mme. M. Varipati) Butchers a 12 7
PETERLOO (Mr. R. White) ......Private — 12 6
MOOREFIELD (Sir R. Liddell) Peacock 6 12 4
INDIAN FEAST (Mr. W. Wren)...Payne a 12 0
BACHELOR'S LUCK (Mr. W. Midwood) Ireland a 11 13
A DOUBLE ESCAPE (Mr. H. Chappell) F. Fitton 5 11 12
NEVILLE HOLT (Mr. Knight)...Bickley a 11 11
MIND THE PAINT (Mr. E. Holley) Gordon a 11 8
ST. YVES (Mr. H. Burns) ....Burns 4 11 8
LA FOLIE (Mr. G. Stevenson) Stevenson 4 11 4
TURBIT (Mr. E. Caldicott) ...Caldicott 4 11 4
FLORAL TRIBUTE (Mr. G. Marsh) Godfrey 4 11 2
GAMELYN (Mr. A. Bates) ...R. Gordon 4 11 1
FABULOUS FORTUNE (Mr. S. Treife) Private 5 10 10
BIRVANI (Mr. W. Lea) ....Private 5 10 7
RENT BOOK (Mr. H. Creighton) Private 3 10 7
JOFFRETTE (Mr. H. Cooper)...Private 5 10 7
SPOILED BOY (Mr. G. Hilditch) Private 3 10 7
MEADOWCROFT (Mr. J. Torr) C. Young a 10 7

2.30—SUTTON HURDLE, £150. 2 m.
Age st. lb.
SAXHAM PRINCE (Mr. T. McKeever) Ireland 5 12 6
LORD EDNAM (Maj. R. Ratcliffe) Ireland 5 11 9
CHELSHO (Mr. G. Sanday) ......Sanday a 11 4
NEILGHERRY (Mr. F. Ingram)...Poole 6 11 0
(The above have arrived.)
KNIGHT OF MANISTER (Mr. W. Midwood) ....Ireland 6 12 7
APPLETON (Mr. H. Brown) H. Brown 6 11 13
ULLSWATER (Mr. T. Higgins) H. Hunt a 11 13
HOLLINS LANE (Capt. H. Denison) Newey a 11 11
WAVE'S CREST (Mrs. H. Hollins) Gilbert 4 11 11
THEODOSIUS (Mr. T. Guntrip) ...Pope 5 11 9
MISS CUST (Mr. J. Tomlinson) Tomlinson a 11 7
LE CONNETABLE (Mr. G. Marsh) Godfrey 6 11 7
TREZIDELLA (Mr. M. Inman) Godfrey 4 11 6
TOM FOOL (Mr. H. Brown) ...H. Brown 5 11 5
PETERLOO (Mr. R. White) ......Private — 11 4
BEAUCOURT (Mr. H. Burns) .....Burns 4 11 4
PALMERSTOWN (Mr. W. Champicy) Pope 6 11 4
SAINTLY MAUDE (Mr. Court) C. Young 5 11 3
BAYODEE (Mr. E. J. Caldicott) Caldicott 5 11 3
DOUBLET (Mrs. E. Tabor) ......Tabor 4 11 2
KAFFIR KING (Mr. C. Berzac)...Berzac 5 11 0
TOPSY'S BABY (Lady E. Gordon) Payne a 10 12
LANDOWNER (Mr. G. Hainsworth) Private 4 10 7
LITTLE PICKLE (Mr. C. Davis) Private a 10 5
ST. ALMO (Mr. T. Higgins) ...H. Hunt 4 10 0
KINCRAIG (Mr. Gilbert Marsh) Godfrey 3 10 0
SLAVE CRAG (Lady E. Gordon)...Payne a 10 0

3.0—THREE-YEAR-OLD HURDLE, £100. 1½ m.
st. lb.
ULLESELF (Mr. H. Stewart) ...KPrivate 11 0
MONTDIDIER (Mr. E. Caldicott) Caldicott 10 7
ANTROVINI (Lt.-Col. F. S. Isaac)...Private 10 7
SIMON'S GLORY (Mrs. C. Jickling) Kemp 10 7
GOLDEN CHESTNUT (Mr. A. Long) Dodd 10 7
PROLIFIC (Mr. H. Summarsell) ....Pope 10 7
(The above have arrived.)
FIDGET (Mr. T. L. Walker) ....Private 11 5
EOTHEN (Mr. H. Adams) ....Newey 10 7
LANDORE (Mr. F. J. Benson) ......Hyams 10 7
DARK MAGIC (Mr. Cliff Berzac) ...Berzac 10 7
DART (Mr. H. Brown) ....H. Brown 10 7
WELCOME LAD (Mr. W. Capell)....Capell 10 7
MERRY ALDFORD (Mr. J. Cowap) Cowap 10 7
DOCTORS COMMON (Capt. G. Davy) Beatty 10 7
BLINGEL (Mr. G. Freer) ....Private 10 7
THYMBRA (Mr. H. Glover) ......Private 10 7
WINMARLEIGH (Mr. T. Higgins) H. Hunt 10 7
GAVRELLE (Mr. M. Inman) ......Godfrey 10 7
PRIORITY (Mr. T. McAlpine) .....Hyams 10 7
STAPLES (Mr. G. Marsh) ....Godfrey 10 7
HAGIOLOGY (Mr. R. Mealing) ....Newey 10 7
SULTAN'S SEAL (Mr. S. Mercer)..Private 10 7
BRILLIANT SUNSHINE (Mr. F. Pedley) Private 10 7
DAYLIGHT SAVING (Mr. G. Renwick) W. Renwick 10 7
YEW (Mr. G. Renwick) ....W. Renwick 10 7
INGOE (Mrs. I. Straker) ......F. Hartigan 10 7
YOUNG LOVER (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan 10 7
DOROTHY DEAR (Mr. J. Tomlinson) Tomlinson 10 7
TAY PAY (Mr. O. Toole) ....Goswell 10 7
MYRAM STYLE (Mr. H. White) ...Private 10 7

3.30—SOLESHILL 'CHASE, £80. 3 m.
Age st. lb.
VALENTINE MAHER (Mr. F. Ingram) Poole a 12 0
PRINCE CLIFTON (Mr. A. Chappell) F. Fitton 6 10 0
(The above have arrived.)
WAVERTREE (Capt. B. Bibby) Withington a 12 0
THE FLY III. (Capt. M. Radclyffe) R. Gordon a 12 0
FARQUE (Mr. G. Sandays) .....Sanday a 12 0
TOP HOLE (Mr. F. Parnell) .....Payne a 11 7
THE BORE (Mr. H. Brown) ...H. Brown a 11 0
TOM FAGGUS (Mr. H. Adamthwaite) Private a 10 0
DAYDAWN (Mr. F. Hartigan) F. Hartigan 6 10 0
JIMMY RAFTER (Major Hedgkin) Private — 10 0
AUXI (Mr. A. Knowles) ....Private 6 10 0
BIRVANI (Mr. W. Lea) ....Private 5 10 0
PRETTY FACE (Mr. A. McAlpine) Hyams a 10 0
SALT SPRAY (Mr. A. Straker) Bewicke 6 10 0
BLUEJACKET (Capt. H. Wyndham) Withington a 10 0

ARRIVALS.—Ready Cash, Michelino, Sandy Cuba, Nadine, Ball's Bluff, Willing, Saxham Prince, Theodosius, Lord Ednam, Chelsho, Palmerstown, Neilgherry, Ulleskelf, Montdidier, Simon's Glory, Antrovini, Prolific, Valentine Maher, Roman, Simon's Luck, Fleeting Peace, Warbine, Suzanne III., Bell Toll, A Double Escape, Golden Chestnut, Rosy Picton, Prince Clifton, Citron, Fugle Maid.

ENGLISH STEEPLECHASE MEETINGS.

Increase of Stakes.

The increases in the amount of added money to the principal steeplechasing programmes already arranged for the current season, as compared with the sums raced for last season, are notable. For instance, the amounts of 1,000 sovs. per day or over are as follow:—Kempton Park November, 2,100 sovs.; Sandown Park December, 2,000 sovs.; Gatwick December, 2,400 sovs.; Hurst Park December, 2,100 sovs.; Cheltenham December (one day), 1,045 sovs.; Wolverhampton (Christmas), 2,000 sovs.; Kempton Park Christmas, 2,300 sovs.; Newbury December, 2,000 sovs.; Manchester New Year Meeting, 3,140 sovs.; Manchester February, 2,300 sovs.; Gatwick March, 4,050 sovs.; Manchester March, 5,100 sovs.; Cheltenham March, 6,175 sovs.; Manchester Easter, 4,840 sovs.; Liverpool March, about 9,000 sovs., including the Grand National of 5,000 sovs. The increase in the amount of prize money at the numerous minor meetings is also very considerable.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

The Altcar Coursing Club will hold a substitute meeting for the postponed November fixture on December 4 and following days.

A steeplechase of 1,000 sovs. will probably be included in the programme of the Leopardstown March meeting.

The sum of £15,000 has been transferred by the Doncaster Race Committee to the borough fund as a result of the race meetings on Town Moor.

After the Beresford Stakes at Manchester on Saturday Midton (4 yrs.), by Royal Majesty—Pride of Cuba, was sold by auction to Mr. M'Guigan for 130 gns.

Lady McCalmont's brood mares and horses in training will be submitted for auction at the Newmarket December sales. They will be sold without reserve, and with their engagements.

King John, who gained such a decisive victory in the Manchester November Handicap, was bred at Captain Loder's Old Connell Stud, near Newbridge, but, with the notable exception of the Irish Derby, which the colt won last year, has done all his racing in England.

The Nice race meeting starts on January 4th and ends on the 22nd. There will be six days' racing, with the Prix de Monaco on January 4th, the Prix de Monte Carlo on the 11th, and the Grand Prix de la Ville de Nice on the 18th as the chief events. This last prize is worth Frs. 100,000.

FOOTBALL.

RUGBY.

INTER-VARSITY MATCH.

OXFORD v. DUBLIN.

DUBLIN TEAM AGAIN SUCCESSFUL.

DUBLIN .... 6 pts.
OXFORD .... Nil

Having beaten Edinburgh, Dublin University tried conclusions with the Dark Blues at Oxford on Saturday. They fielded a thoroughly representative side. On the other hand, Oxford were not at full strength, the forwards consisting almost entirely of reserves, whilst Wood, the outside right, was unable to play owing to a torn muscle. To make matters worse, just after ends had been changed, Shand was disabled, and, although he took the field again, was of very little assistance to his side. Afterwards Dublin had much the better of the game, and it was only at rare intervals that Oxford threatened danger. Teams:—

Oxford University—O. Jenkins (Jesus); Van der Reit (Trinity), E. G. Loudoun Shand (University), H. B. Simpson (Oriel), G. B. Crole (University); E. Campbell (Oriel), F. A. Waldock (Hertford); W. T. Havard (Jesus), D. Leck (Trinity), J. E. Maxwell-Hyslop (Balliol), F. Francis (Jesus), W. R. Bion (Queen's), J. M. Robertson (Brasenose), B. Millar (New College), A. W. Rose (Brasenose).

Dublin University—J. Marais; J. Dickson, T. de Pruyn, H. B. Van der Merwe, A. J. Vorster; P. du Plessis, J. Gillespie; W. J. Russell, J. Coltsee, B. V. Dowse, J. W. Smith, J. C. Thompson, P. Owens, F. Piennar, J. V. Druten.

The Dublin forwards were much better together, as was only natural, seeing that Oxford were playing practically a new pack. As a consequence, the Oxford halves had few opportunities, although Waldock worked hard. Gillespie played a fine game for the visitors, and was always opening the play out for his three-quarters, who failed to take full advantage of their opportunities. Simpson worked very hard at centre three-quarter for the Dark Blues, and Van der Reit, who played on the wing, made quite a promising *début.*

Oxford started in promising fashion, a clever bit of play by Waldock taking the ball up to the Dublin "25," but the advantage was promptly discounted by a good passing movement amongst the Dublin backs, and Dickson all but broke through. The Oxford captain brought about his downfall, and then followed a spell of exciting play on the line, which taxed the Oxford defence to the utmost. At length, Campbell and Crole raised the siege with a clever dribble to the centre, and for some time play ruled in neutral territory. The forwards monopolised the game for a considerable period, and the backs were given few opportunities. The Dublin pack slowly asserted its superiority and drove Oxford back, only to have their strenuous efforts neutralised by Van der Reit, who with a fine kick found touch at half-way. The Dublin forwards again took the offensive, and a passing movement, in which du Plessis, Gillespie, and de Bruyn shared, ended in Dickson scoring a try, which was not improved on. After the kick-out Shand made a fine effort, and Simpson finding touch in the Dublin "25" enabled Oxford to attack strongly. Nothing came of it, however, and smart work by the Dublin halves enabled Dickson to get clear of everyone but Jenkins, who effected a fine tackle. Van der Reit again renewed the pressure, but Vorster broke away and Jenkins was again called on to save the situation. Havard kicked a goal from a free kick, which was disallowed, after which Oxford had more of the game, and Waldock found touch in the Dublin "25." Indifferent passing by the Oxford backs lost a good opportunity, and the ball was in the centre when the whistle went for half-time, with Dublin leading by three points to nil.

On changing ends a capital bit of combination by Waldock, Simpson, and Crole raised the hope of the Dark Blues, but the latter was driven into touch. However, Oxford forwards asserted themselves for a while, and Dublin had to adopt defensive tactics. Gillespie came to the rescue, and subsequently indulged in a capital run. Eventually Oxford had to touch down, just after which Shand was injured and had to retire for some time. The Dublin backs indulged in some smart passing, one very dangerous movement being checked by Rose and another by Crole. Once more the Oxford forwards took a turn on the offensive, but there was little cohesion, and the Dublin backs had no difficulty in clearing. Once Simpson got well away, only to see his pass go a-begging, and, after flattering their supporters, Oxford had again to resort to defensive tactics. Waldock and Crole gained ground, and Simpson was again in evidence, whilst Waldock and Havard nearly succeeded in dribbling through. Then Dublin had a bit of luck, a huge kick sending the ball down to the Oxford touch-line with only a stray forward anywhere near the back, and Dickson beating him for pace scored a further try, which was not improved on. Nothing further was scored, and Dublin were left victorious by two tries to nothing. Result:—

Dublin University ...... 2 tries (6 pts.)
Oxford University ...... Nil.

BECTIVE RANGERS (15) v. WANDERERS (11).

One of the best matches of the season was that played between Bective Rangers and Wanderers at Donnybrook on Saturday. With the exception that Roddy was missing from the Bective three-quarter line, and Ross, the Wanderers' forward, was also an absentee, the sides were practically at full strength, and in a rousing, fast game, Bective proved the better side, winning by 15 points to 11. Teams:—

Bective Rangers—W. Abraham; M. Abraham, G. O'Neill, C. Culhane, A. P. Atkins; R. F. Hammond, J. A. Clarke; W. P. Collopy (capt.), T. Heffernan, R. Collopy, C. O'Shea, Joe Tallon, R. R. Walker, P. Dunne, J. D. Egan.

Wanderers—Barrett; Wilson, P. Fennell, T. G. Wallis, Hurst; Kittermaster, Haughton; Buttenshaw, Jeffares, Kirkland, Larmour, W. H. Lowe (capt.), O'Neill, Potterton, Purdon.

Referee—Mr. Miles.

The match was a fast, heavy-scoring one, with the fortunes of the game fluctuating all through. At the commencement Bective forwards over-ran the opposing eight to such effect that it looked as if Wanderers were in for a sound beating. The Bective backs had many brisk rounds of passing, but owing to the good tackling of Wanderers, no score came until the half was well advanced. This was a fine effort on the part of M. Abraham, who, in company with Clarke, raced down the side line, and after each had handled a couple of times, Abraham was lucky to get the try. Hammond failed with the kick, and before long Wanderers replied with a grand try, for which Wallis was entirely responsible. From a bad pass by one of the other backs, the ball went along the ground, but Wallis, gathering cleverly, side-stepped past a couple of opponents, and went straight in near the posts, and, Lowe converting, Wanderers took the lead. Not for long did they hold it, however, as following an opening made by W. Collopy, the ball travelled across the Bective three-quarter line to Atkins, who scored far out, and later Bective went further ahead when Clarke was allowed to score an easy try, which, like the others, was not improved upon. Wanderers, however, rallied again, and thanks to a brilliant piece of play by Wallis, Hurst ran in for their second try, Lowe this time failing with the kick, and at half-time Bective led by 9 points to 8.

The second half had not been long in progress before Wallis injured his knee, and though for a time attempting to play on, the weak spot affected him again, and he had to retire. His absence was, of course, a serious loss to Wanderers, who, however, continued to put up a strong fight, and once, had Hurst not hesitated when he intercepted a pass, the probability is he would have scored. As it was, he was only pulled down close to the line. Later Wanderers were awarded a penalty, and Lowe brought off a fine goal from outside the 25 line. Bective were now two points in arrears, but in the succeeding play they carried all before them, and from a forward rush another try was registered. Wanderers seldom advanced beyond their 25 line, and from a throw out of touch Heffernan got over for their fifth try, which, like all the others, was not improved upon.

For the winners, W. Abraham, who was not heavily tasked, did fairly well as full back. The three-quarters, as a line, were sound, and their passing was considerably better than usual, being of the sharp, crisp character. M. Abraham was the pick of the line, with Culhane little inferior, though he at times dropped his passes. Clarke and Hammond hit things off nicely behind the scrimmages, and of the forwards, Heffernan was the most useful, his catching from touch throws being especially good. W. Collopy, Walker, and R. Collopy were also excellent.

Barrett, the Wanderers' full back, while none too safe in fielding, was of great service to the side in stopping rushes, and he saved many scores. Wallis, who was the outstanding three-quarter, was responsible for both tries, and his enforced retirement must have affected the subsequent play of the team. Haughton, the scrum half, was the next best back on the team, and, behind beaten forwards, played a very plucky game. Of a disappointing lot of forwards, Buttenshaw, Lowe, and Jeffares were best. Result:—

Bective Rangers—5 tries (15 points).
Wanderers—2 goals (1 penalty) 1 try (11 points).

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (13) v. MONKSTOWN (9).

Neither side was at full strength at Sydney Parade on Saturday, the visitors winning an exciting game by 3 goals (1 penalty) to 2 goals (1 dropped). Teams:—

Monkstown—Wills; Belford, Dillon, Kelly, Tipping; Head, Pickeman; Mather, Thompson, Scott, Dale, Walmsley, West, Heenan, Ritchie.

University College—"Donnelly"; J. Keohane, Collins, J. Donovan, H. Schofield; Temple, J. Murphy; W. Murphy, Dorr, Cussen, Spain, Breen, Courtney, Dowling, Moore.

From start to finish it was a very keen game, the principal feature being the keen tackling by both sides, and the splendid all-round kicking. University had all the best of the opening half, and only on a couple of occasions allowed their opponents across the half-way line, and the margin of 13 points with which they crossed over in no way flattered their superiority. A complete change came over the game in the concluding period, Monkstown fairly running the collegians off their legs at times, and after collecting 9 points had the worst of luck in not pulling through, as they were swarming on their opponents' line for the last quarter of an hour.

Playing with the wind, the visitors at once worked down, W. Murphy dribbling to the Monkstown line, where J. Murphy gave Schofield a chance of crossing, only to see the wing man drop his pass. Soon after, Cussen landed a fine penalty goal, and Breen scoring in a forward scramble, Cussen added the extra points. At the other end Pickeman had a great chance of landing a penalty, but missed, and a little before no-side Moore, gathering a weak clearance by Pickeman, dashed over at the corner, and Cussen brought off a goal from near the touch line, University leading by 13 points to nil.

University were the first to get going on resuming, and Temple set his backs going, and a score seemed certain when Collins passed, instead of going over himself. For the rest of the game Monkstown were nearly always in their opponents' 25, and a good passing movement gave Belford a chance, but instead of going on he crossed-kicked. Soon after Mather, picking up, put in an excellent run before sending in to Pickeman, who made a fine opening for Thompson to score between the posts, and Pickeman easily converted. Monkstown continued to press, and Kelly was held up outside, but from the next scrum Head sent back to Pickeman, who dropped a smart goal. For the last ten minutes Monkstown were on the visitors' line, and once Kelly got over, but was held up, and there was no further score. For the winners Donovan, Temple, and J. Murphy (backs), and W. Murphy, Courtney, Cussen, and Breen (forwards), were seen to advantage; while the pick of Monkstown were Kelly, Dillon, and Pickeman (backs), and Thompson, Mather, Scott, and Dale (forwards). Result:—

University College 3 goals (1 penalty) 13 points.
Monkstown ...... 2 goals (1 dropped) 9 points.

CLONTARF (6) v. BLACKROCK COLLEGE (0).

At Williamstown on Saturday Clontarf defeated Blackrock College by 1 penalty goal 1 try (6 pts.) to nil. Teams:—

Clontarf—C. Jackson; G. Gilbert, J. Bell, H. S. T. Cormac, W. L. Freeman; A. E. Dallas, S. E. Polden; H. Bell, G. Bell, G. Cooke, M. Crowley, C. P. Denvir, J. Quaill, J. Quinn, J. A. Watts.

Blackrock College—H. Elliott; L. V. Ryan, V. Coghlan, J. Walsh, T. Kenny; J. Smyth, P. Tierney; J. Coghlan, J. Bermingham, A. Boland, W. Kenny, P. M'Guinness, J. O'Connell, F. O'Donnell, L. Wallace.

Referee—Dr. B. C. Solomons.

It was a very vigorous struggle from start to finish, heavy forward work being the outstanding feature. True, there were a few handling movements on either side, but so keen was the tackling that very little ground was gained by them, and the backs were chiefly concerned in defensive tactics. Early in the game Clontarf were penalised, and T. Kenny found touch near the corner flag, and, following a scrum almost on the line, an effort was made to set the Blackrock backs in motion. A wild pass, however, spoiled the movement, and H. Bell and Denvir dribbled back to the centre. Good kicking by Dallas and Cormac further improved matters for the visitors, and Crowley, picking up inside the Rock 25, made a dash for the line, but he was smartly grassed by T. Kenny. V. Coghlan afterwards got in a good kick, which Cormac returned with interest. Clontarf then pressed strongly, but the defence was impenetrable, Gilbert and Cormac in turn being held up a yard outside. Following a free, taken by Dallas, Blackrock touched down, but almost immediately the same player dropped a penalty goal from the 25 flag. Just before the interval a brilliant tackle by Tierney brought down Cormac within a few yards of the line. The teams crossed over, with Clontarf leading by a penalty goal to nil.

A loose forward rush, with Boland, Bermingham, and M'Guinness in the van, looked promising for Blackrock soon after the resumption, but Jackson held them up. An injury to T. Bell necessitated his retirement, but he resumed towards the finish. In his absence the Clontarf forwards were hard set to hold the opposing eight, but they succeeded fairly well, especially in the scrums, here they repeatedly got possession. T. Kenny made a good effort to bring off a penalty goal from half-way, and this was the nearest Blackrock got to scoring in this half. Later Cormac got away on his own, but he failed to pass Elliott, who took him down in brilliant style. However, in the very last minute Cormac again burst through, but when nearing the line gave to Dallas, for the latter to send Crowley over for a try, which Dallas did not improve on.

Jackson, the Clontarf full-back, never made a mistake throughout the match. He got plenty to do, but he came through the ordeal with credit, his tackling and kicking being very sound. Cormac was easily the best of the three-quarters, while Polden and Dallas were much too good for the opposing pair. Forward, J. Bell, Crowley, Denvir, and Quinn showed up best. For Blackrock, Elliott did splendidly at full-back, and compared very favourably with Jackson. The three-quarters were only fair, Coghlan and T. Kenny being the pick. Tierney and Smyth played well, but were no match for the opposing halves. Of the forwards, Boland, M'Guinness, Bermingham, and O'Donnell were the most prominent. Result:—

Clontarf—1 penalty goal 1 try (6 points).
Blackrock College—Nil.

LANSDOWNE (6) v. OLD WESLEY (0).

At Lansdowne road on Saturday Lansdowne continued their winning sequence when they defeated Old Wesley by 2 tries (6 points) to nil. There was a large gathering present, when, in fine weather, the following teams lined out:—

Lansdowne—W. E. Crawford; M. S. O'Rorke, S. W. De Villiers, F. Milligan, R. McFerran; W. A. Cunningham, G. McM. Kavanagh; A. D. J. Brennan, S. Campbell, R. Donnelly, E. Beaumont, D. D. Morton, W. Moore, N. M. Purcell, P. J. Whitty.

Old Wesley—W. S. Christie; G. L. Dart, R. E. Croot, S. Evans, J. F. Russell; C. F. Beckett, A. H. Matthews; C. Adams, N. A. Clarke, H. Trotter, A. J. Walkey, E. G. Cullen, G. A. Sanders, H. Dann, S. Evans.

Referee—Mr. V. Drennan.

The Wesleyans started a forward short, and continued with fourteen men for fully three-fourths of the game. Lansdowne started off with a strong attack, a burst of their forwards, headed by Purcell and Whitty, bringing play close to the Wesley line. Cunningham, getting from a scrum, tried to go over, but Christie tackled him soundly, and then a neat kick by Croot got touch near the half-way flag. Wesley had now a spell of attack, clever kicking by Christie, Croot, and Russell being instrumental in keeping their side on the aggressive. With Purcell and Morton coming through a scrum, the game was changed to the visitors' end. Here Kavanagh opened out, and, after Cunningham and Milligan had handled, De Villiers, taking a bad pass, went over for a try, which McFerran failed to convert. Lansdowne, from the drop out, continued to attack, and another score was quickly added. From a rush, the ball was kicked over the line, and Croot stumbling in his effort to touch down, Morton, rushing up, secured a try, which went unconverted. Lansdowne thus crossed over, leading by six points.

The second half was devoid of an outstanding incident. Lansdowne were, for the greater portion of the time, on the attack, but the Wesleyan defence proved very sound, and was always equal to the occasion. Early in the half, Cunningham and McFerran had good runs, but Matthews brought each down in fine style. McFerran next had a shot for goal from a free, and just sent inches wide. O'Rorke was conspicuous with a good run along the touch line, and was only tackled inches outside by Christie. Shortly before the finish Morton was injured, and had to retire. Lansdowne maintained the attack, however, but were unable to add to their score.

It was a very poor game, possessing little in the way of brilliant play. Lansdowne were much the superior side, and, as the play went, were worth more than two scores. The fine defence of Old Wesley, however, was a feature of the match. Crawford, at full for the winners, got little to do, but anything that came his way he did well. De Villiers and McFerran were the best in the three-quarters, with Cunningham, at stand-off half, the best back on the ground; while forward the most noticeable were Purcell, Moore, and Whitty. On the Wesley side, Christie had his hands full throughout, but came through without making a mistake. Croot displayed much of his old-time form in the three-quarter line, with Russell next. Matthews was very smart at half-back, and amongst a set of forwards, who, considering they were playing a man short nearly all the time, gave a splendid display, none worked harder than Adams, Moore, Clarke, and Walkey. Result:—

Lansdowne—2 tries (6 points).
Old Wesley—Nil.

CIVIL SERVICE (9) v. PALMERSTON (0).

Civil Service beat Palmerston on Saturday on the latter's ground at Milltown, by nine points clear. The sod was in excellent order, and the weather fine, but dull. The match started half an hour late, and was finished in semi-darkness. The following were the teams:—

Palmerston—Fahy; Saville, Keating, Fidler, Shea; Prost, Henchy; Exshaw, Quirk (capt.), Warren, Rouget, Bennett, Exshaw, M'Auliffe, Royce.

Civil Service—McCarthy; O'Donohoe, O'Donnell, Bates, Byrne; Morris, Foley; McMahon, Burke, Cogan, McAlister, McGuinness, Smith, R. Smith, McLaine.

Referee—Mr. Stuart (Clontarf).

Civil Service had the help of a strong wind, but they did not make full use of it, the earlier stages of the game being a series of scrambling rushes, and wild passing in the Palmerston half. Keating tried to ease the pressure, but a penalty enabled Civil Service to get inside the home 25. Palmerston forwards cleared in the loose, and the visitors being penalised twice, Saville and Prost kicked well, and Royce helped the homesters to invade with a good dribble. McMahon headed a retaliating rush to the home line, where Shea just saved by touching down. O'Donnell then ran well, and passed to Byrne, who was put into touch near the Palmerston line, and the same player threw away a score by a wild pass when he had a good chance of cutting through. He, however, made amends by a clever punt and follow up, and was only robbed of a score by the crooked bounce of the ball, which Fahy secured and cleared. Keating made efforts to break away time after time, to no avail, and it was on the stroke of half time that the first score was registered, Palmerston being penalised for off-side, and O'Donnell landing a grand penalty goal from the left half-way flag. With better combination and understanding, Civil Service should have registered three or four scores in the first half.

In the second period, Palmerston did not improve, despite the help of the breeze, and Civil Service, attacking strongly, Morris cut through for a try, which O'Donnell just failed to improve on. Palmerston broke away, and Saville should have scored had he gone on straight, but he turned inwards, near the Service line, and was grassed by McCarthy. Civil Service rushed back in the loose, and O'Donnell scored a fine try behind the posts, and converted, but the extra points were disallowed, as the scorer had infringed the rule by bringing out the ball himself. No further scores were registered, though Bates and Morris had dashes for the line, and, towards the end Fidler was almost over for Palmerston.

Civil Service have the material for building up a good side. They are all young, strong, speedy, and plucky and only want to work out proper plans for combination. The amount of wild passing on both sides was irritating, players mostly doing the wrong thing—either chucking the ball away when they could have cut through, or holding on too long and being tackled. Both packs, too, did not make sufficient use of their feet in the open, though there was no lack of gameness in either side in going down to stop rushes, and the tackling was stout and sure. O'Donnell stood out at centre for the winners, and showed much speed and dash. Bates, Byrne, and Morris, too, was speedy, and McMahon is a fine forward. For Palmerston, Keating at centre was always trying hard, Saville, Fidler and Prost were sound, and Quirk and the Exshaws worked hard in the pack. Result:—

Civil Service—1 penalty goal, 2 tries (9 points).
Palmerston—Nil.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CORK (9) v. GARRYOWEN (5).

After an interregnum of close on six years, extending back to pre-war days, the game of Rugby was revived at Limerick on Saturday, when, at the Market Field, Garryowen engaged University College, Cork, before a large attendance. Teams:—

University College, Cork—McElligott; J. Mahony, G. Ryan, W. Duggan, M. Mahony; T. Scanlon, Hamilton; P. Scully, J. Allen, J. Ryan, Harrington, Roche, Popham, Reynolds, W. O'Connor.

Garryowen—P. O'Sullivan; J. Read, T. Guerin, P. Bourke, J. McMahon; L. Keane, M. Leahy; P. Keane, R. Frawley, M. Quinlivan, W. O'Driscoll, M. Hurley, E. McInerny, N. Butler, P. O'Halloran.

Referee—Mr. R. Lynch (Limerick).

Both teams played a hard, strenuous game, in which a lot of the work from the opening to the finish was with the forwards. In the first period Garryowen scored a goal off a try by O'Driscoll, and they crossed over with this lead. With the change of sides, the College put out their best form, checking the home rushes, and, better still, scoring three tries in succession, per Roche, Hamilton, and M. Mahony, but none was converted. There was no further score, and play stood at the close:—

University College, Cork—3 tries (9 points).
Garryowen—1 goal (5 points).

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY 2nd (11) v. ENNISCORTHY (0).—At Enniscorthy on Saturday a capital game was witnessed between the second team of Trinity College, Dublin, and a local selection. The homesters, while they were decisively beaten on the score of 1 goal and 2 tries to nil, put up a plucky fight, and in the second half in particular were decidedly unlucky to miss scoring on two occasions.

INTER-HOSPITALS' TRIAL MATCH.

Much interest is aroused over the trial inter-hospitals' match to be played at the College Park on Wednesday. Not for many years have so many crack players been attached to the city hospitals, and the competition for places on the team proper should be very keen. After the match, the team to play London United Hospitals at Lansdowne road on December 10th will be selected.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

SENIOR MATCHES.

	Pts.		Pts.
Dublin University	6	Oxford University	0
Bective Rangers	15	Wanderers	11
University College	13	Monkstown	9
Lansdowne	6	Old Wesley	0
Civil Service	9	Palmerston	0
Clontarf	6	Blackrock College	0
Queen's Univ., B'fast	43	Collegians	0
Derry	15	N.I.F.C.	13
Knock	23	Malone	0
Univ. College, Cork	9	Garryowen	5

OTHER MATCHES.—Bective Rangers 2nd 11, Wanderers 2nd 0; Carlow 11, R. and S.P.U. 3; Old Wesley 2nd 5, Lansdowne 2nd 3; Clontarf 2nd 6, Blackrock College 2nd 0; St. Andrew's College 8, Bective Rangers 3rd 6; Old Belvedere 3rd 45, R. and S.P.U. 2nd 0; Blackrock College 3rd 6, Clontarf 3rd 0; Old Belvedere 6, M. and L. Bank 0; Wesley College J.C.T. 6, Blackrock College J.C.T. 0; Belvedere College under 13 0, Mountjoy School under 13 0; Civil Service 2nd 3, Palmerston 2nd 3; N.I.F.C. 2nd 59, Collegians 2nd 0; Armagh R.S. 3, Dungannon R.S. 0; Larne 22, Sydenham 0; Carrick 24, Malone 2nd 0.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULTS.

RUGBY UNION.—Leicester 19, Army 8; Yorkshire 15, Lancashire 3; R.M.A. (Woolwich) 20, St. Thomas's Hospital 3; Old Leysians 18, London Hospital 10; United Services 32, London Scottish 5; Swansea 7, Neath 3; Harlequins 6, Guy's Hospital 5; Newport 18, Cardiff 0; Cambridge Univ. 27, Old Merchant Taylors 6; R.A.F. 14, London Welsh 13; Bristol 26, Weston-super-Mare 0; Northampton 9, Coventry 5; Gloucester 12, Pontypool 3; Blackheath 7, Richmond 5; Moseley 24, Nuneaton 0; Bath 10, Bristol Univ. 8; Llanelly 30, Royal Navy 6; Plymouth 16, Exmouth 0.

NORTHERN UNION.—Barrow 17, Oldham 6; Leigh 25, Batley 6; Bramley 6, Hunslet 2; Bradford 14, Hull Kingston Rovers 4; Hull 9, Broughton Rangers 3; Halifax 17, St. Helens 8; Leeds 11, Keighley 0; Warrington 16, Rochdale Hornets 0; St. Helens Rec. 13, Salford 2; Swinton 6, Widnes 5; Wakefield 10, York 7.

RUGBY FOOTBALL.
DUBLIN HOSPITALS' FOOTBALL UNION.
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SEMI-OFFICIAL STATEMENTS.

Reuter's Agency says:—Semi-official statements issued in Rome and Belgrade indicate that the situation on the Adriatic is becoming critical. Not only is it revealed that D'Annunzio has ambitious designs, extending beyond the annexation of Dalmatia, to what his adherents style the liberation of Montenegro from the condition of barbarous slavery, but that the poet, or, at least, some of his prominent supporters appear to be engaged in intrigues against the existing Government in Italy. Rome and the Italian people have been kept in the dark concerning what happened in Zara after D'Annunzio's landing, and the veil of secrecy was lifted for the first time yesterday, when a long semi-official statement was issued, describing the origin and development of the plot hatched in Fiume against Zara, and the happenings at that Dalmatian port. This statement disclosed that Admiral Millo, who represented the Italian Government at Zara, instead of prohibiting D'Annunzio's landing, joined the raiders. The statement disavows Admiral Millo's action, and promises vigorous action to prevent the expeditions planned against other parts of Dalmatia from being carried into effect. It further discloses the existence of a plot in Northern Italy, in conjunction with the Fiume adventurers, aimed at subversive action in Italy itself.

A semi-official message issued in Rome on November 22nd says:—At Fiume the Volunteers and the Regular troops who entered on the 12th September continue in occupation, but for some time the activity of the irregulars is taking the form of sorties from the armistice frontiers, and new actions in Dalmatia. There is also a minority who, by means of correspondents in the interior, entertain the idea of attempting seditious actions in Italy itself. The latest development of events discloses that in the first ten days of November two officers at Fiume went to Zara and were received by Admiral Millo, whom they assured that there was no intention of making expeditions into Dalmatia at the moment. Admiral Millo, in his despatches to the Government, had always expressed his disapproval of irregular action. On November 12th a prohibition was issued against anybody entering or leaving Fiume. The object of this would appear to have been to conceal from the public the raid which was being prepared against Zara. The Government, which was informed, warned Admiral Millo beforehand to be prepared for any eventuality at Fiume, and for the raid at Zara. On the morning of November 14th, one of the coast signal stations announced that a convoy was *en route* for Zara. The destroyer, Indomito, proceeded to meet the ships, which reported the arrival of d'Annunzio, and of irregulars from Fiume. At 9.40 the destroyer, Nullo, entered the port of Zara, with two torpedo boats. An automobile sent by Admiral Millo was waiting for d'Annunzio when he landed, and he drove to the residence of the Governor. After the interview had lasted half an hour, Admiral Millo emerged from the building and announced to the officers that he had given his word that he would never evacuate any part of Dalmatia, outraged by the Pact of London. Admiral Millo and d'Annunzio thereupon addressed the crowd, and reviewed the troops. Evidence is not lacking that expeditions are about to be prepared against Sebenico, Spelato, and other localities on the Dalmatian Coast. Admiral Millo has explained his conduct by declaring that he acted in entire good faith, and to avoid disorders; but the Government disapproves and denies explicitly the entire declaration of Admiral Millo. Other expeditions being contemplated, the Government will do everything possible to prevent them, by warning the country of the danger of such procedure. Recent searches at Ancona, Turin, and Milan have shown that some exalted persons are endeavouring to profit by the situation at Fiume, to secure territorial advantage. The Government is adopting all necessary measures as regards crime, and all attempts to disturb the national peace of the country. Public order is perfect everywhere in the kingdom. Admiral Millo will remain at his post pending the decision of the Government.

THE GOVERNMENT AND ADMIRAL MILLO.

An Exchange telegram sent from Rome on Saturday says:—

The official *communiqué* issued concerning the Zara expedition states that Admiral Millo formally promised Signor D'Annunzio that no portion of Dalmatian territory included in the Pact of London would be evacuated. The Government deplored Admiral Millo's attitude, and promises to D'Annunzio, but the former justified himself by saying that he had acted in good faith to prevent disorders. The Government also strongly condemns the fact that the officers and men concerned in the expedition were led to believe that everything had been done in conformity with the Government's wishes. Investigations at Milan, Ancona, and Turin disclosed the fact that some elements were inclined to take advantage of the situation at Fiume to foster sedition within the national territory. Measures, however, were taken to prevent disorders, and order reigns supreme throughout the kingdom. The Government retains its direction of foreign affairs.

The *Epoca*, commenting on D'Annunzio, states that "while the poet may still be prompted by the noblest motives, his success at Fiume must not encourage repetitions of such exploits. The country is tired of adventures, and those expeditions must be stopped. The Government must not permit irregular troops to engage in enterprises the responsibility for which falls on the whole nation."

The *Tribuna* writes that the Zara expedition was superfluous, as Zara is garrisoned by Italian troops, and the city was assigned to Italy under the Pact of London.

The *Idea Nazionale* approves the expedition, but reproaches the Government for its *communiqués* repudiating Admiral Millo.

NO NEW INCIDENT.

Reuter's Agency states that up till last evening no information had reached the British Government of any new or sensational incident having manifested itself in Italy. Although the details of the Zara affair are only now officially released from Rome and Belgrade, they were known in London at the time. There has been nothing since then, so far as is known in London, of any sensational or alarming development. From the Serbian side, too, apart from the popular feeling, which is undoubtedly very strong with reference to D'Annunzio, there has been no indication of any untoward incident. Sensational rumours from both sides must be regarded with caution, although it cannot be denied that the situation generally contains elements of danger.

THE KING AND QUEEN WELCOMED.

A Reuter message from Rome, dated Sunday, says:—The King and Queen and the other members of the Royal family returned to Rome to-day. Notwithstanding the fact that no official announcement of Their Majesties' impending arrival had been made, some thousands of people assembled at the station, and gave Their Majesties an enthusiastic welcome.

SERBIAN STATEMENTS.

The Press Association's Belgrade Correspondent forwards a semi-official statement issued there on November 21st, which says:—According to a message from Zara, d'Annunzio's troops have been spreading a reign of terror in the streets there. His partisans wear an armlet of the Italian colours, with the inscription, "Italy or death," and those who are not wearing this armlet, even if their sympathies are with the Italians, are exposed to attacks, and are spat upon. The Jugo-Slavs are absolutely without protection, and remain shut up in their houses, the only people who are seen in the streets being servants who are buying food. The hatred against the Italians passes all bounds. Italian officers are reported to have said to the Jugo-Slavs: "We do not want to hear anything more of Rome. We shall govern now in the name of d'Annunzio, and carry out only his orders. You will not have to wait long before we cross the demarcation line. D'Annunzio will arrive at Sibenik (Sebenico) on November 23, and then you will learn the decisions of the liberator of Dalmatia and the protector of Montenegro, both of which are groaning under the most barbarous slavery."

Admiral Millo has offered to the Government at Rome his resignation as Governor, but the Premier has refused to accept it, and has maintained the Admiral in his post, adopting without reservation the *modus vivendi* arranged between the Admiral and d'Annunzio. According to a message from Split (Spalato), Italian officers there state that d'Annunzio reckons on occupying the whole of Dalmatia as far as Narenta, and delivering Montenegro, giving to it the fortified port of Cattaro. D'Annunzio, they say, firmly intends to obtain the early realisation of this plan. The operation will be supported by a large part of the Fleet and an important number of troops. The raising of the blockade, according to these officers, is due to pressure exercised at Rome by military circles. The troops for the operations against Dalmatia are to be enlisted in Italy and embarked under the eyes of official Italy. Dalmatia is, accordingly, waiting for prompt decisions and energetic measures from the Government at Belgrade, in order to prevent attacks by rebel Italians against that part of the country which is still free. Gatherings of the Italian inhabitants of Zara are celebrating the approaching arrival of d'Annunzio, and openly declare that the time is coming when they will step into power.

Another semi-official statement, issued at Belgrade on Saturday, says:—According to a message received from Spalato, General Vierra, with some Staff officers, arrived on Tuesday morning at Zara from Sebenico. After visiting Vice-Admiral Millo, the General reviewed D'Annunzio's troops, and expressed his complete agreement with Admiral Millo and D'Annunzio.

The *Corriere della Dalmazia* announces that on Sunday night Admiral Millo put the torpedo boat Zefiro at the disposal of the Italian delegation at Zara, who, under the leadership of the Mayor, Signor Ziliotto, are proceeding to Fiume, where they will be received by D'Annunzio. It is learned here that the Italian warship Puglia has received orders from Admiral Millo to join D'Annunzio immediately on his arrival at Spalato.

FIGHTING IN RUSSIA.

BOLSHEVIK FRONT BROKEN.

55,000 MEN ANNIHILATED.

LITHUANIAN SUCCESS.

The Press Association's Stockholm Correspondent forwarded on Friday a report which says that the Helsingfors Correspondent of the *Svenska Dagblad* telegraphs that messages recently received from General Denikin state that his Army has broken through the Bolshevik front between Orel and Tamboff, annihilating 55,000 Bolsheviks, and that the workmen and peasants in the manufacturing centres are revolting against the Soviet *régime*. At Narva, he adds, the situation is critical. The Esthonians have been forced back, and the North-West Army is in a difficult position. The Reds on the Pskoff front say that peace is expected to be concluded on 25th November.

The Reval Correspondent of the *Politiken* telegraphs that M. Litvinoff has received a telegram from Moscow saying that Admiral Koltchak has suffered a defeat near Omsk. Fifteen generals and 1,000 officers are reported captured.

MITAU EVACUATED.

IRON DIVISION RETREATING.

In a message from Berlin, the Press Association's Correspondent says:—The situation in the Baltic sphere of operations is described as follows, in a competent quarter:—According to a semi-official agency, the Iron Division is in retreat. Its present position is unknown. Mitau, presumably, has been evacuated, and the Lithuanian attacks have developed on both sides of Mitau. The Mitau-Murajevo railway has been cut by the Letts, and a German armoured train which remained to protect the German railway detachment has been derailed and burned. The so-called Red Corps, which occupies a position west of Bauske, is being heavily attacked from the west and south by the Lithuanians. The railway train in which Colonel Bermont was travelling was unsuccessfully attacked. Bitter fighting is in progress near Ratsoiwiliski. Tauroggen has been occupied by regular Lithuanian troops. The Lithuanians have also attacked near Prekulen. The Tauroggen-Prekulen railway has been cut. Eberhardt is at Shavli. The *Entente* Commission has gone to Tauroggen.

YUDENITCH'S RETREAT.

The Times' Reval Correspondent on Saturday wrote:—General Yudenitch, with his Staff, has arrived here from Narva. The official view is that the North-West Army was compelled to retire from Yamburg and Gdoff, because it was thoroughly tired, and that, having retreated so far, it was inevitable to retreat further into Esthonian territory, owing, partly, to the difficulty of finding good defensive positions, and, partly, because of the mass of troops, transport, and refugees crowded up within a narrow space, having only for line of retreat two bridges over the River Narva. It was, therefore, indispensable to arrive at an arrangement with the Esthonian authorities, betimes. The arrangement was made on Sunday night, and the passage of the river began, immediately relieving the pressure which threatened disastrous consequences. The question of food supply and housing creates anxiety, especially with respect to the refugees, who number about 10,000, and are mostly of the educated class. The belief is expressed that, after a few weeks for reorganisation, the army could re-enter the field, totalling with the new recruits 30,000 men. It will be necessary, however, for the Allies to send more munitions, and also to put the finance of the army on a sound basis.

SUPREME ECONOMIC COUNCIL.

THE COAL PROBLEM.

At to-day's sitting of the Supreme Economic Council, says a Press Association message dated Rome, Saturday, the first question considered was the coal shortage. Lord Crawford, Chairman of the Wheat Commission, maintained that the present control on the production and distribution of coal weighed heavily upon the British taxpayer. The British Treasury, he said, spent on this account ten million francs weekly. Lord Crawford then proceeded to explain the steps taken by the British Government, and emphasised the fact that the price paid on consignments of British coal sent to British coaling stations was the same as that paid for coal to any other destination. This policy had benefited France and Italy, and the British Government had already received friendly messages of appreciation on the subject. Lord Crawford declared that he was not in a position to say whether or not his Government contemplated any change in its present policy. In his opinion, the only remedy consisted in increased coal production in Great Britain, France, and the rest of Europe, but he admitted that strikes, transportation difficulties, and scarcity of tonnage had large reduced production in France and Great Britain, although in the latter country there had been an improvement recently.

The Council then considered the question of supplying German Austria with food. Signor Muriali, in the name of the Italian delegates, stated that Italy was ready, in view of the critical situation, particularly in Vienna, to give immediately the necessary assistance, as soon as the financial agreements on the matter were concluded.

Mr. Cecil Harmsworth, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, approved this proposal, and emphasised the fact that it was necessary to clear away all uncertainty on this point by declaring that the Supreme Economic Council possessed neither the resources nor the authority to provide for the needs of German-Austria. The Allied Delegations associated themselves with this declaration of Mr. Harmsworth.

Signor Giannini, speaking on behalf of the Italian delegates, stated that Italy, in spite of her very limited resources in tonnage, finances, and food stocks, had given help to Austria since the first days after the armistice. The Italian Government, he said, was agreed regarding the necessity of establishing a final solution of the question, for the present system was dangerous to all concerned.

FIRE AT ARMY SERVICE CORPS BARRACKS.

Early yesterday morning a fire broke out in the motor shed at South Hill Barracks, Chatham, occupied by some companies of the Army Service Corps. Three motor lorries, a steam tractor, the property of the War Office, and a Daimler car belonging to the General Officer Commanding the Eastern District, were destroyed, together with the shed. The damage is estimated at £10,000. The proximity of the burning building to the petrol tanks caused considerable anxiety, but the outbreak was, fortunately, suppressed in time to avoid the possibility of explosions.

THE CAIRO OUTBURST.

CAUSES OF THE DISTURBANCES.

DISORDERLY STUDENTS' DEMONSTRATIONS.

ARRIVAL OF LORD MILNER.

A Reuter's Cairo telegram, dated November 17, states:—From further details of yesterday's disturbances it appears that at eleven o'clock in the morning a crowd of about 500 roughs entered Abdin square. A lorry containing 30 police came from the opposite direction, and attacked the crowd with sticks. The latter retaliated with large stones, whereupon the officer in command ordered his men to fire blank cartridges, which proved most effective in scattering the demonstrators. As, however, the police continued firing, Archer Bey, the Acting-Commandant of Police, went to the square and told the officer that it was unnecessary to fire, and that he was to deal with the crowd with sticks.

At 11.30 between 500 and 600 students came down Abdin street towards the Palace. A section of the mounted police was called out, but was unable to cope with the situation, as the students showed great determination to reach Abdin square, and attacked individual policemen with sticks. Thereupon Archer Bey called out the remainder of the troops and a lorry of police, and these, with great difficulty, were coping with the situation, when the officer gave the lorry police the order to fire. Instead of using blank cartridge, one man or more fired ball, killing one and wounding another student.

The crowd then became violent, and got out of hand. Archer Bey, therefore, called on the Egyptian cavalry and infantry at mid-day to take over Abdin square. About 12.30 a crowd of students and roughs came past Abdin square, carrying a student's corpse, throwing stones, and attacking any policeman they saw, and also stoning the Abdin and Mouski police stations.

At one o'clock Archer Bey handed over the square to the Egyptian Bimbashi, and withdrew the police, as things were quieter. At 1.40 the mob attacked the Mouski police station, drove in the police, and managed to gain an entrance, whereupon it continued to stone the building, subsequently transferring the attack to the Abdin police station. Egyptian infantry were sent for to relieve the situation, but were unable to cope with the crowd, except as a temporary measure.

At two o'clock Archer Bey telephoned to General Morris, and both men then conferred together at the Residency. While there a message was received stating that the mob had not only attacked the Abdin station, but that a lorry outside had been set on fire; and shortly afterwards it was reported that the police station had also been set alight, whereupon General Morris decided to send out British troops.

Bimbashi Hamilton reports that he was obliged to fire on the crowd about this time, wounding two or three. During the whole of this period the police at the Abdin station were very hardly pressed. When the British troops arrived in the Abdin and Musky districts at 3.10 p.m. they dispersed the crowds with their pickaxe handles, but were obliged to fire when withdrawing from the side lanes to the main streets, as the result of which there were six wounded. The British troops are now stationed in the various police stations, and the morning passed off quietly.

THE DEATH ROLL.

Another Cairo telegram, dated November 17, states:—The Sultan has not yet replied to the Premier regarding the recent resignation of the Cabinet. Eleven natives were killed in yesterday's disorders. There was some excitement this morning in the Abdin quarter, but British troops dispersed the demonstrators.

DELEGATION'S STATEMENT.

"WRITING GLORIOUS HISTORY."

The local Committee of the Egyptian Delegation to-day issued a statement to the native Press, in the course of which, after quoting the recent British statement of policy, it says that the publication of this statement has provoked much public astonishment, because it is contrary to the principles of right and justice. It is contrary to the London Convention of 1840, guaranteeing the independence of Egypt, which was conquered by the Egyptians at the price of their blood. It is contrary to the sixty official engagements taken by Great Britain to evacuate Egypt. It is contrary to the principles for which the Allies entered the war, namely, the liberation of small peoples and the destruction of brutal force. It is contrary to the principles laid down in the Armistice in the Peace Treaty and in the League of Nations. It is contrary to the spirit of independence which reigns in the world to-day, and it is contrary to the will of the Egyptian people, who alone are masters of the destiny of Egypt.

There is no doubt, the statement continues, that the natural effect of the British statement will be to increase their aversion to all social discussions, to strengthen the bonds of their union and solidarity, thus redoubling the national effort and the concentration of the whole of their energies to serve the national cause by all legal means. The hour is grave. The Fatherland therefore appeals to all its children to write glorious history. Whatever their rank and whatever their occupation, all Egyptians must do their duty. "Long live Egypt." "Long live complete independence." The *Bourse Egyptienne*, in referring to this statement, says:—The first page of this glorious history was written in the streets of Cairo yesterday.

ALEXANDRIA SETTLING DOWN.

A telegram from Alexandria on Tuesday at 6 p.m., states:—All is quiet here now. Troops are posted at commanding positions, and armoured cars are patrolling the city. A native paper announces the resignation of the Governor of the town, Abder Rasak Pasha.

Everything is now absolutely quiet, says a later telegram. By 9 o'clock this evening the streets were deserted as the result of the orders of the military authorities.

LORD MILNER'S ARRIVAL.

A telegram also from Alexandria, dated November 18, says:—Intense excitement prevails to-day in the whole of the town in consequence of a rumour of Lord Milner's arrival in the harbour.

Another telegram states: There was a demonstration by schoolboys here this morning also, and in connection with three big funerals in the afternoon; otherwise everything is quiet. The town has been placed out of bounds for soldiers. Lord Allenby visited the Sultan to-day. The day passed off quietly.

PITCHED BATTLE IN A GARAGE.

TRADE UNIONISTS SHOT DOWN.

A Reuter's telegram from New Orleans on Saturday states:—Three white men were shot dead and two wounded during a pitched battle this morning round a garage at Bogalusa. All the victims, who were trade unionists, were shot while protecting the negro Labour leader, Saul Dechus, from arrest at the hands of large bands of Special Service officers, assisted later by a number of men from the Loyal League, which consists largely of discharged soldiers. Mr. L. E. Williams, the owner of the garage, who was among those killed, was the President of the local Allied Trades Council, and the editor of a Labour newspaper. They marched down the village street guarding with shot guns the negro for whom the officers had been searching the night before. The officers surrounded the garage, and demanded the surrender of the negro. This was refused, and a battle ensued. Only one Special officer was wounded, and then not seriously. During the battle the negro escaped with others who had been defending the garage.

FIRE IN DANCE HALL.

TWENTY LIVES LOST.

A Reuter's Ville Platte (Louisiana) telegram says:—A fire broke out here this (Sunday) evening in a hall in which a dance was in full swing. Panic ensued, and the death-roll is a large one. So far 20 bodies have been recovered. The victims are descendants of French exiles from Arcadia.

HINDENBURG AND GERMANY.

A Copenhagen telegram states that, addressing a crowd of demonstrators on his return to Hanover, Marshal von Hindenburgh said, according to the Berlin Correspondent of the *National Tidende*, that he returned home with a lighter heart than when he left, for he had been able to observe with joy that National feelings were again beginning to awaken.

IRISH BANKING CRISIS.

OFFICIALS AND DIRECTORATES.

THE ISSUE KNIT.

STRIKE NOTICES FOR 31ST DECEMBER.

A meeting of the Irish Bank Officials' Association was held in the Gresham Hotel, Dublin, yesterday, in connection with the crisis that has arisen with the directors on the question of recognition of the Association. The meeting began at 10 a.m. and lasted until 4 p.m., when the following statement was handed to the Press representatives:—

The following statement is made by Mr. C. H. Denroche, Organising Secretary of the Irish Bank Officials' Organisation, supplemental to the information contained in the notice of a cessation of work served by him on all the banks on behalf of the members of the Association. The Association was formed on 17th March, 1918, with the object of trying to improve the wretched conditions of service of Irish bank officials. I had nothing whatever to do with the formation of the Association, which was forced into being by the failure of the directors to treat their officials with reasonable consideration in regard to their salaries in the very trying times through which the world was passing. I was asked to preside at the inaugural meeting for two reasons—because I was a bank official for twelve years, and because it was realised that the banking career of any official taking a prominent part was not likely to be a successful one. For the same reason I was asked to undertake any correspondence that might be necessary with the various boards of directors, and I undertook this gladly as I had great sympathy with the movement. My first letter was written on May 24th, 1918, and I think I ought to give it in full. It was as follows:—

SIR,—I have been requested by the Executive Committee to send you the enclosed copy of the objects, constitution, and rules of the Irish Bank Officials Association, to which a large proportion of your staff belongs. The officers of your bank which belong to this Association believe themselves to have certain grievances relating to their employment, which they are confident would be redressed by your directors if they were known to, and realised by, them, and I have been requested to ask whether your directors would be willing to receive a statement of these grievances, and to give it their kind consideration; and I have no doubt your directors realise the importance of having a happy and contented staff, and would be desirable of doing anything reasonable to attain that object.—I am, sir, your obedient servant,

C. H. DENROCHE.

I need not give separately the replies I received to this letter, which were almost identical, and the substance was that the directors would receive from their individual officials who had, or thought they had, any grievances, any statement they wished to make, and give it careful consideration. Long and bitter experience taught individuals the value of this procedure. These letters implied a refusal to recognise the Association.

Undismayed by this snub, I brought before the various boards of directors on behalf of the Association statements of the grievances and a proposed minimum scale of salaries for the rank and file up to thirty years' service, and, although the directors continued to ignore the Association, considerable concessions were made by degrees as a result of those efforts. The position was relieved, but everything that was done fell very far short of what was necessary. Officials who had before the war a little private means, spent it in trying to carry on and keep out of debt, for debt, if it becomes known, is liable to mean dismissal in the case of a bank official. Those who had no private means were helped by relatives in some cases, and in other cases suffered the greatest hardships. Numerous married officials, with young children, have told me that during the winter of 1918 they never had a fire in their houses, save for the purpose of cooking.

On the 7th of May, 1919, I wrote a letter to the directors withdrawing the proposed minimum scale of salaries and war bonuses which I had submitted on October 16th, and submitting a new minimum scale, which the further advance in the cost of living required, and in that letter I expressly asked for the first time whether the directors were prepared to recognise the Association. That letter received a bare acknowledgment. On June 2nd I wrote expressing regret that the directors had not seen fit to give the matter the consideration to which it was entitled, and, as instructed by the Executive Committee, I informed the directors that, failing receipt of a satisfactory letter within ten days, the Committee would be reluctantly compelled to advise the officials to withdraw their services pending the granting of their legitimate claims. No answer was received. Early in September I was pressed to undertake the organisation of the Association, which was then incomplete, and, though very reluctant to do so, I ultimately consented, having come to the conclusion that I ought not to refuse my help.

The rest of the correspondence is referred to in the notice served on the directors to-day. No letter was written that I did not write, and the public will judge whether anything I have written justifies the extraordinary statement sent to the Press by the directors of seven of the nine Irish banks late on Friday. Through the courtesy and sense of fair play of the editor of the *Freeman's Journal* I was made aware of this statement at a late hour, and was enabled to arrange that my statement in reply should be published with it.

I wish to amend that statement in one particular. I made it from memory near midnight in the office of the *Freeman's Journal* after a five minutes' perusal of the directors' statement. My attention has been drawn since to the fact that in the scale of salaries submitted by me to the directors the following marginal note appears:—

All officers to be entitled to retire after 40 years service on a pension of not less than two-thirds of their salary. Any officer compulsorily retired before having reached that service to receive an adequate pension.

The last sentence was intended to apply only to officers compulsorily retired before attaining 40 years' service owing to ill-health. No sensible person could have believed it was intended to apply to officers dismissed the service. In any case, I was never asked what it meant by any board of directors.

I ask all fair-minded men whether it was playing the game for these banks to send their statement, grossly misrepresenting the claims of the Association, broadcast to the Press at an hour and on a day when in the ordinary course it could not be contradicted in the Press for two days, and without having taken the slightest trouble to ascertain from me or from any member of the Executive Committee whether it represented the claims of the Association.

MEANING OF "RECOGNITION."

Attached to the above was a communication from the Irish Bank Officials' Association directed to the Bank of Ireland, the Provincial Bank of Ireland, Ltd.; the Royal Bank of Ireland, Ltd.; the National Bank, Ltd.; the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd.; the Hibernian Bank, Ltd.; the Ulster Bank, Ltd.; the Northern Banking Company, Ltd.; the Belfast Banking Co., Ltd., which states:—

"GENTLEMEN,—On the 12th September last, shortly after my appointment as organising secretary of the Irish Bank Officials' Association, and after 18 months of fruitless appeals to you, and after your refusal of the offer of the Ministry of Labour to arbitrate, I wrote you a letter making a final request for recognition of this Association, which was formed for the purpose of improving the conditions of service of bank officials in Ireland, and I urged the importance of granting it voluntarily. In the same letter I informed you that the Executive Committee had been authorised by a ballot taken last June to call, if necessary, a cessation of work at such time as the Committee should decide in order to compel recognition. With that letter I sent you the following note of the meaning the Association attached to the word 'recognition,' which meaning was limited so as to meet any objection which you might make conceivably to a wider definition—'The directors shall be willing to discuss by correspondence or in person with the Executive Committee of the Association as occasion may arise all matters connected with the welfare of the officials of their bank. It is understood and agreed that such directors shall be asked to meet at such discussion only such members of the Executive Committee of the Association as are also officials of the bank of which they are directors and the organising secretary (not being an official of any bank). It is also understood and agreed that the Association shall not claim to discuss any matter solely relating to the management of the bank in which the welfare of the officials is not concerned.' A letter, dated 23rd October, 1919, having been received from the directors of the Hibernian Bank asking for a full and clear written statement defining—(1) What exactly is defined in recognition of the Association; and (2) what matters in which the welfare of the officials is concerned the Association would claim to discuss. I replied on the 30th October, 1919, as follows:—'With regard to No. 1, directors recognising the Association will be expected to be willing to discuss by correspondence with the Executive Committee through the secretary, as occasion may require, all the matters referred to at No. 2, with a view to arriving at an agreement on these matters, and, if re-

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SPECIAL EXTRA.

THE STORMING OF MITAU.

A Copenhagen telegram, dated Sunday, says: The storming of Mitau by the Lett Army began at 5 o'clock on Friday morning, according to the official Lett News Bureau, and after a terrific struggle, lasting six hours, in which the desperate resistance of the Germans was broken, the town was taken at 11 o'clock in the morning.

EGYPTIAN LEADERS REQUESTED TO LEAVE CAIRO.

A Reuter message from Cairo, dated November 19, says:—Lord Allenby has requested four members of the local Committee of the Egyptian Delegation, including the President, to leave Cairo. They have decided to ignore the request.

GERMANY AND THE TREATY.

HERR SIMSON LEAVES PARIS.

EFFECT OF AMERICAN SENATE'S ACTION.

FRENCH COMMENT.

It is announced, says a Press Association message, dated Paris, Saturday, that Herr Simson, the German Delegate Plenipotentiary, is leaving Paris this evening for Berlin, where he will consult his Government, and ask for the proposal of the National Assembly regarding the new conventions to come into force between Germany and the Allies, notably in respect of the failure to carry out certain clauses of the armistice.

The *Presse de Paris* says that the departure of Herr Simson and of his technical advisers for Berlin, has given rise to a good deal of comment in official circles. Herr Simson declares that it is necessary for him to consult the Cabinet personally, and that he has not yet fixed the date of his return. In consequence, the ratification of the Peace Treaty before December 1st is almost impossible, and there appears to be no chance of peace coming into force at the appointed date.

Commenting on the reasons given by the German Delegates for their departure for Berlin, the *Temps*, in its section of the *Presse de Paris*, says:—The considerations mentioned by the German Plenipotentiaries are not sufficient to explain their attitude. Consequently, we are justified in looking for others. Are there not in the German Government, or about it, men who would like to cast doubt upon the validity of the peace, on the pretext that the American Senate has not ratified the Treaty of Versailles? Are there not behind the German Government military and reactionary elements who wish to prevent at any cost the putting into force of the Treaty, in order to avoid the disarmament of Germany, and the consolidation of the democratic *régime*. It is for the German Government to speak.

THE GERMAN ATTITUDE.

The Press Association's Berlin Correspondent writes:—Commenting on the American Senate's adjournment *sine die*, without having ratified the Peace Treaty, *Forwaerts* says:—As Germany has only undertaken to submit to the dictates of Commissions which are composed according to the stipulations laid down in the Treaty, Germany could take the standpoint that she will not recognise the decrees of Commissions otherwise composed. It is questionable, however, continues the paper, whether the fresh peace negotiations will bring grist to Germany's mill, in view of the prevailing situation of the Powers. Therefore, it is to be expected of the German Government that it will, in the most loyal manner, co-operate in the endeavour to stop the gaps produced by America's retirement. Recognition is, at any rate, to be expected from the other side of the fact that Germany has a right to be anxious about the consequences of the American retirement, and to seek protection against its possible effects. Even if an essential alteration of the European situation is not to be expected from America's retirement, it means, nevertheless, a great alteration in the world situation.

SERBIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE TREATY.

The Press Association's Paris correspondent telegraphs:—The Serbian Government, having received the report of the Serbian Delegation regarding the Treaty of St. Germain, and having carefully considered it, has informed the Delegation that there is now no longer any reason for declining to sign the Treaty.

FRENCH MONEY CRISIS.

PROFITEERS AT WORK.

The question is asked in several quarters if the quagmire of monetary confusion into which we have fallen is not to some extent the fault of the fisc—otherwise the taxation—writes the Financial Correspondent of the *Daily Telegraph* in a message from Paris. However, with respect to indirect taxes, nearly everything in France considered to be necessary has been called upon to pay duty, including, of course, the monopolies. Wine has been taxed, beer has been taxed, spirits, tobacco, gas, electricity, and transport (including travelling), and luxuries even have been taxed. The question is what has not been taxed in this form? Of course, the French taxpayer has so far escaped direct taxation to a notable extent compared with his British fellow-sufferer. Certainly in France heavy duties, thought excessive by some, have been levied upon articles of absolute necessity to life.

But there are three precious metals which have remained subject only to the very light duties established in 1872. These are gold, silver, and platinum. Platinum, of course, is really unimportant, being only used in small quantities for various industries. But the law of 1872 fixed a tax of 37f. 50c. for every 100 grammes of gold and 2f. for 100 grammes of silver. This old law, which has remained unchanged, leaves a wide field open for contraband and illicit trade to profiteers in the precious metals. For instance, here is an example of the profits to be made. One gramme of gold is quoted at the value of four francs; thus the melting of a twenty-franc piece produces a gain of at least five francs. It is suggested that the fiscal authorities could reduce the illegal melting of gold and silver at home in a most efficient way by reforming the old law and raising the duty. This would bring a very useful sum annually to the State, at a time when resources are so much needed.

This would not immediately affect the rate of exchange with foreign countries, which is so unfavourable in many cases to French currency. French money loses 42c. per 100 in New York, and, although it seems that a fuss is being made in England with regard to the fall of the sovereign in New York, it only loses about 3s. there, the sovereign being now worth only $4 17c. instead of $5. In other words, if you take twenty-five French francs, the former value of the £, the loss of francs is 10f. 50c., whereas the £, at its former value of 25f., sheds but 4f. 15c. across the Atlantic. At Geneva 25f. are quoted at 15f. 75c., a loss of 9f. 25c., instead of which the depreciation of the sterling is only 1f. 70c. Even in Brussels the French franc is barely worth 96c.

People here are surprised at the little excitement caused here by this severe loss to the country in this depreciation of the franc abroad, whereas in England no such resignation is shown at the comparatively insignificant decline in sterling.

MR. LLOYD GEORGE AND RUSSIA.

A *Times* telegram from Helsingfors says—Anti-British circles utilise Mr. Lloyd George's recent statement about Russia to suggest that the *Entente* has fallen to pieces, and that England wished to see Russia dismembered. They advocate the favourite pro-German system of an alliance between France, Germany, and Russia. A Russian General informs me that, contrary to the impression which Mr. Lloyd George apparently wishes to create, that Britain had sufficiently supplied the anti-Bolshevist forces, the North-Western Army is suffering from the lack of artillery and shells. The enemy are reported to have heavily attacked the Esthonians at Orla, north-east of Narva, on the River Luga, and the Russians in the Yamburg sector with artillery and armoured cars. Despite official statements to the effect that all attacks were beaten off, I am credibly informed that about half the North-Western Army by last evening had retreated and crossed the Esthonian boundary. There is not a word of truth in the statement said to have been telegraphed from Dorpat that twenty thousand of Yudenitch's men have gone over to the Bolshevists.

THE PRINCE LEAVES NEW YORK.

ENTHUSIASTIC SEND-OFF.

SPEECH AT PILGRIMS' DINNER.

UNION OF GREAT BRITAIN AND AMERICA.

A Reuter's New York telegram of Saturday states that the Prince of Wales sailed for Halifax this evening.

Later.—The Renown weighed anchor at 3.30 p.m., and steamed down harbour, saluted by whistles from the harbour craft and farewell salvoes from the guns and forts guarding the harbour mouth.

A Press Association foreign special telegram, dated New York, November 22nd, states:—Scenes of enthusiasm, even surpassing those already witnessed here during the Prince of Wales's visit to New York, characterised the dinner given by the Pilgrims' Society of New York in his honour last night, at which more than 800 guests were present. Proposing the health of His Royal Highness, Mr. Chauncey Depew drew an eloquent picture of the splendid services rendered by the British Royal Family in the past to the causes of world freedom, and declared, amid enthusiastic cheering, that the Prince had been just amongst his own folk in the United States. "He has grasped," Mr. Depew said, "and gracefully incorporated our American ways. He has won our hearts, and carries home an appreciation of our sacrifices in the war."

The Prince, in reply, made a graceful reference to all the kindnesses that he has received, and referred to the wonderful confidence and goodwill along the entire three thousand miles of the international border between Canada and the United States. This state of things obtained, His Royal Highness said, because you on your side, and we Britoners on ours, have, under different forms, the same political faiths, the same human aims, and the same practical ideals.

KING GEORGE'S GRATIFICATION.

Mr. Depew read a cablegram from King George and Queen Alexandra. The King said that he had received much pleasure from the gratifying message regarding his son's visit, and cordially thanked the Pilgrims' Society for their hospitality. Special interest, the telegram, added, would attach to the gathering from the presence of Mr. Depew, who had been associated with the welcome to King Edward sixty years ago.

Queen Alexandra said that she was deeply interested on learning of the dinner, and the fact that Mr. Depew would preside. "My beloved husband," she said, "was always such a great friend of the great American nation. He would have rejoiced as his son, his grandson, and I do at the closeness of the union now formed between the two nations who have fought and suffered side by side in the war, now, happily, ended."

The Prince's arduous day ended with the reception of the 21st Regiment at the Armoury, after which he boarded the Renown for his last night's sleep in New York waters.

MEMORABLE SCENES AT DEPARTURE.

A Reuter's New York telegram of Saturday says:—A storm of cheers arose from the great crowd assembled on the banks of the River Hudson as the Renown began moving out of the harbour, to the thunderous roar of the American warships. A huge procession of motor cars dashed in pursuit of the warships along the bank of the river for some miles. When last seen the Prince was waving his cap from a fighting top. As the Renown passed into the bay with her consort Constance, the American battleship Delaware, with seven American destroyers closed in her wake, with the British Naval Ensign flying from their mainmasts. They will escort the Renown to the vicinity of Halifax, which will be reached on Monday morning. The Prince was busy, as usual, during the entire day. He decorated over a hundred British and American soldiers, sailors, and nurses on board the Renown.

A MESSAGE TO NEW YORK.

Before his departure the Prince of Wales sent a message of farewell to the people of New York, in which he said that he would not say "Good-bye," because he was going to pay the United States another visit as soon as he could, as he wished to see more of the country and of the American people. His Royal Highness added that he had received hundreds of charming letters since he had come to the United States, and not a single disagreeable one. He thanked the people most appreciatively for the hospitality and goodwill that had been shown him everywhere.

A GREEN DRINK.

Aluminium is evidently the metal of the future, writes the *Daily News*. Some of its many uses were set out at the 38th Brewers' Exhibition at the Agricultural Hall, Islington. A complete brewing equipment of aluminium is shown, including one vast aluminium tank to hold over 3,000 gallons.

"That is not the biggest we can do," said the manager, "but it is the biggest the railways will take. We do make bigger ones, but we build them where they stand. There is nothing like aluminium for machinery connected with food or drink. It does not wear out, it is easy to clean, and there is no harmful chemical reaction."

Among the exhibits was a 720-gallon tank for mounting on a motor lorry for the direct supply of beer. The beer is pumped in and out through a hose-pipe, and is stored in the cellars of public-houses in porcelain containers. This "laying on" of beer, it is claimed, saves time, space, money, and casks.

The exhibits of "soft" drinks form a large part of the show. The consumption of teetotal drinks in this country was trebled during the war, and the outlook for the trade is regarded as very bright. One well-known firm of mineral water manufacturers who are exhibiting said that the firm during the war exported 15,000,000 bottles of mineral water to the various armies. "The French manufacturers cannot cope with the trade," he said, "and we hope to capture it for England. Another speciality of ours is green ginger wine. This could not be bought during the war, but we have sold 45,000 dozen this year already. You see, there is a shortage of whiskey and gin, and green ginger sort of takes its place. Once upon a time no one would buy a liqueur without a foreign name. At present most of the liqueurs sold in the West End are made at Camden Town."

The prizes for barley were shared between Ireland and Scotland. Entries in the beer competition numbered 225, and the Gilbey Hall is given over to the casks. Seventeen judges have been busy tasting, and the selected samples are now awaiting the judgment of the analysts before the prizes are awarded.

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Intimation was received of the death, which occurred on the 26th October, of a widow who was an annuitant of £50 upon the Connor Clergy Widows' Fund. Permission, under Section 14, to continue membership was granted to a clergyman on removal to New Zealand.

Payments were ordered:—Widows' and Orphans' Fund (Church of Ireland), expenses, £2 14s. 6d.; Clogher Diocesan Fund annuities, £15.

ALIEN PASSENGERS TO AMERICA.

The American Consul in London has received a cablegram from the Department of State, Washington stating that recently several aliens have arrived at different ports in the United States without having had their passports vised by an American Consular officer. The Consul says that under the Act of May 22nd, 1918, steamship companies are liable to prosecution for violation of visa regulations, especially in cases of former enemy aliens. No alien should be allowed to embark for the United States unless in possession of a passport duly vised by an American Consular officer, and steamship tickets should not be issued to prospective travellers until it has been ascertained that a visa will be granted to them.

WATERFORD FARMERS AND GOVERNMENT PROTECTION.

At a meeting of the Executive of the County Waterford Farmers' Association on Saturday the following resolution was unanimously passed, and a copy ordered to be forwarded to the National Executive of the Association:—"That until proper safeguards for the harvesting of our crops are guaranteed by the Government, and more energetic measures taken for the protection of our hay grain, and other crops from malicious injuries when harvested, it is useless making further appeals to the farmers of Ireland to continue increased tillage. We ask the National Executive of the Irish Farmers' Union to press this view on the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland."

JURY'S HOTEL.

On the demobilisation of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps the military authorities have relinquished their claim to Jury's Hotel, Dame street, Dublin, which was commandeered some eighteen months ago, and used as the corps headquarters for Ireland. The furniture and fittings have been removed, and on Saturday the hotel was closed.

HIS OWN PEOPLE.

THE IRISH NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL.

He had not been in Ireland since the Boer War. The war with Germany had surprised him in Australia, and it was with the Anzacs that he had seen his service at the front. He had been at the Dardanelles, watched the glorious achievements of his countrymen of the Dublins, the Connaughts, and the Munsters, and felt proud to call himself an Irishman; for he was an Irish, as a soul of Connemara turf. Afterwards he had gone to France. He had been wounded a couple of times. Once on the Peninsula his life had been saved by a big sergeant-major who hailed from Cork and, like Othello, had taken by the throat "a malignant and a turbaned Turk" just as the exhausted Anzac was on the point of receiving the *coup de grâce*. In France he had fought beside Irish battalions. He often wished he had gone back and joined a home regiment; but for that matter, indeed, he little cause for complaint in the fighting qualities of his Colonial comrades. Among them he was known as "Pat," and many a time big bronzed giants from "way back" in Queensland held their breath as this little Irishman—he was not from Tipperary—rushed into a very hell at the head of his platoon. He became a fatalist in France, took everything as it came, and never allowed fighting to interfere with his appetite. He was the mascot of his regiment. Wherever "Pat" was, there luck was sure to be.

After the armistice he stayed for a riotous while in Paris, drifted across to London, and now found himself back again in Dublin. The passing years had brought great changes to the old city; or perhaps he himself had changed. He did not know. Mainly everything seemed to be strangely different. After the desperate *abandon* of Paris, and the almost hysterical neurosis of London, it was refreshing to find a city that had suffered little through the war. Here and there one met a disabled soldier in the streets, but in comparison with other cities Dublin showed few signs of the ravages of Armageddon. There had been no aid raids. Everybody looked well-fed and well-clad. There was plenty of everything, and to spare. Nearly every man seemed to have a flourishing account at his bank, nearly every woman a luxurious, if sometimes gaudy-looking, fur-coat. Certainly there were worse places than Dublin. Still, this long-celled warrior missed something. He did not feel at home in the city which had given him birth, and of which he knew and worshipped every stone. He met a few of the Irish soldiers whom he had known on the Peninsula and in France; but they only smiled bitterly when he asked them their opinion. They, like himself, seemed to be at a loss for words. Every day he felt more and more uncomfortable. Dublin had become unsympathetic; her heart seemed to have hardened against her soldier sons. He thought of Suvla Bay and Givenchy; and his brow furrowed in a frown.

He began to pay attention to the conversation of the people around him. In the lounge of his hotel, in the trams, in the restaurants, in the theatres, it was nearly always the same. The price of cattle, of land, of produce; never a word of war, or of those who had paid its toll. He began to wish that he had not returned to Ireland; yet he hankered after some manifestation of that spirit of generosity and kindliness which he had always associated with the Irish people and which had been so characteristic of their regiments on every front. Surely his country had not lost her soul! He was told that politics lay at the root of all the trouble. He was no politician, affairs. Many a time and oft he had seen Ireland in the grip of political controversy before; but she had always honoured and respected brave men. Now she seemed to despise them. If only some of the once-upon-a-time farmers had been in charge, or lain for hours in a slimy shell-hole, in a tumult of agony and rending fury! If they had had to go over the top when German machine-guns were as thick as blades of grass in a field, perhaps they would think less about themselves and more about the poor fellows who went under. He, too, was becoming embittered.

The discovery that a scheme for a War Memorial was in contemplation almost came as a shock to him. Thank God, he thought, Ireland is not herself. He was a thrifty man, and consequently had saved a considerable amount of his pay. His subscription to the Memorial Fund was more, perhaps, than he could afford; but he felt so overjoyed at the opportunity that he did not stop to reckon the cost. After his visit to

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STRIKE ON 31st DECEMBER.

The Joint Council, consisting of the Executive Committee and delegates from local Committees covering the whole area of the city of Dublin, and came to a unanimous decision, and I have been instructed by it to inform you that on the 31st day of December next all bank officials of the members of the Association (except managers and agents) will cease work in every bank which in the meantime has failed to notify me as organising secretary that it is prepared to grant recognition, and not to facilitate in any way any bank that refuses to grant recognition, and will not resume their duties until it is granted.

In the event of any Board of Directors taking advantage of this notice (which is given for the convenience of the Association) to dismiss individuals or introduce outside labour prior to the date fixed, the Executive Committee holds itself free to order a cessation of work at any earlier date.

I am also instructed to request you to give instructions as to the steps which are to be taken to grant recognition, and to ensure that the strong rooms and safes, as, failing such instructions, every officer in charge of keys will retain possession of them (as is his duty) until authorised to deliver them to an agent of the bank personally known to him.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the Press.—I am, etc.,

C. H. DENNISON, Organising Secretary.

THREATENED STRIKE OF IRISH CHEMISTS.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR INTERVENES.

The strike of Irish chemists' assistants which, it was threatened, would take place on Saturday night this for the present been averted. It was announced on Saturday afternoon that Mr. Gordon Campbell, Secretary for the Ministry of Labour, had arranged a meeting, at which he will preside, to be held at the Ministry of Labour, Dublin, to-morrow. It will be attended by the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Federation of Chemists' (Employers') Association and Mr. Kelly, local Secretary of the Assistants' Union, and the situation will be discussed and an endeavour made to bring about a settlement. The notices, which terminated on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, were, in the circumstances, withdrawn.

At a meeting of the Dublin Branch of the Chemists' Section of the Shop Assistants' Union yesterday, the action of the Secretary, Mr. J. W. Kelly, in calling out the threatened strike was approved, and it was decided that, in the event of a satisfactory decision by the employers at the conference on Tuesday not being arrived at, a strike should be declared to take effect from that night.

CHURCH OF IRELAND WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Board of the Church of Ireland Widows' and Orphans' Fund met last Tuesday, in Kilkenny, Chairman (Mr. J. A. Maconchy) presided. Other members present were :—The Bishop of Killaloe, the Archdeacon of Down, the Archdeacon of Clogher, Canon H. B. Kennedy, Canon Kernan, Rev. T. C. Hammond, the Earl of Belmore, D.L.; Major E. H. C. Wellesley, Mr. H. B. Armstrong, D.L.; Mr. Herbert Ewart, and Mr. Wynne Gamble. Examination, £8 10s.

Two cases were investigated. Both clergymen, whose incomes were declared liable to deduction, as provided by Section 9 of the Statute, were ordered as contributors.

Notification was received of the deaths of two contributors; one died on the 28th October, the other on 9th November, 1919. The widow of one member was declared to be entitled, subject to the usual proofs, to an annuity of £45, with £5 per annum from the Supplementary Fund, and £5 per annum war temporary increase. Another lady, the widow of a contributor who died 3rd July, 1919, was declared to be entitled to an annuity of £45, with £5 per annum from the Supplementary Fund, and £5 per annum war temporary increase. An annuity of £25, also temporarily increased by £5 per annum, for her son.

Intimation was received of the death, which occurred on the 26th October, of a widow who was an annuitant of £50 upon the Connor Clergy Widows' Fund. Permission, under Section 14, to continue membership was granted to the Clergyman on removal to New Zealand.

Payments were ordered :—Widows' and Orphans' Fund (Church of Ireland), expenses, £2 14s. 6d.; Clogher Diocesan Fund annuities, £15.

ALIEN PASSENGERS TO AMERICA.

The American Consul in London has received a telegram from the Department of State in Washington stating that recently several aliens have arrived at different ports in the United States without having had their passports visèd by an American Consular officer. The Consul says that under Act of May 22nd, 1918, steamship companies are liable to prosecution for violation of *visa* regulations, especially in cases of former enemy aliens. No alien should be allowed to embark for the United States unless in possession of a passport duly visèd by an American Consular officer, and steamship tickets should not be issued to prospective travellers until it has been ascertained that a *visa* will be granted to them.

WATERFORD FARMERS AND GOVERNMENT PROTECTION.

At a meeting of the Executive of the County Waterford Farmers' Association on Saturday the following resolution was unanimously passed, and a copy ordered to be forwarded to the National Executive of the Association :—"That until proper safeguards for the marketing of our crops are guaranteed by the Government, and more energetic measures taken for the protection of our hay, grain, and other crops from malicious injuries when harvested, it is useless making further appeals to the farmers of Ireland to continue increased tillage. We ask the National Executive of the Irish Farmers' Union to press this view on the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland."

JURY'S HOTEL.

On the demobilisation of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps the military authorities have relinquished their claim to Jury's Hotel, Dame street, Dublin, which was commandeered some eighteen months ago, and used as the corps headquarters for Ireland. The furniture and fittings have been removed, and on Saturday the hotel was closed.

HIS OWN PEOPLE.

THE IRISH NATIONAL WAR MEMORIAL.

He had not been in Ireland since the Boer War. The war with Germany had surprised him in Australia, and it was with the Anzacs that he had seen his service at the front. He had been at the Dardanelles, watched the glorious achievements of his countrymen of the Dublins, the Connaughts, and the Munsters, and felt proud to call himself an Irishman; for he was as Irish as a sod of Connemara turf. Afterwards he had gone to France. He had been wounded a couple of times. Once on the Peninsula his life had been saved by a big sergeant-major who hailed from Cork and, like Othello, had taken by the throat "a malignant and a turbaned Turk" just as the exhausted Anzac was on the point of receiving the *coup de grâce*. In France he had fought beside Irish battalions. He often wished he had gone back and joined a home regiment; but for that matter, indeed, he little cause for complaint in the fighting qualities of his Colonial comrades. Among them he was known as "Pat," and many a time big bronzed giants from "way back" in Queensland held their breath as this little Irishman—he was not from Tipperary— rushed into a very hell at the head of his platoon. He became a fatalist in France, took everything as it came, and never allowed fighting to interfere with his appetite. He was the mascot of his regiment. Wherever "Pat" was, there luck was sure to be.

After the armistice he stayed for a riotous while in Paris, drifted across to London, and now found himself back again in Dublin. The passing years had brought great changes to the old city; or perhaps he himself had changed. He did not know. Certainly everything seemed to be strangely different. After the desperate abandon of Paris, and the almost hysterical neurosis of London, it was refreshing to find a city that had suffered little through the war. Here and there one met a disabled soldier in the streets, but in comparison with other cities Dublin showed few signs of the ravages of Armageddon. There had been no soup kitchens. Everybody looked well-fed and well-clad. There was plenty of everything, and to spare. Nearly every man seemed to have a flourishing account at his bank, nearly every woman a luxurious, if sometimes gaudy-looking, fur coat. Certainly there were worse places than Dublin. Still, this long-exiled warrior missed something. He did not feel at home in the city which had given him birth, and of which he knew and worshipped every stone. He met a few of the Irish soldiers whom he had known on the Peninsula and in France; but they only smiled bitterly when he asked them their opinion. They, like himself, seemed to be at a loss for words. Every day he felt more and more uncomfortable. Dublin had become unsympathetic; her heart seemed to have hardened against her soldier sons. He thought of Suvla Bay and Givenchy; and his brow furrowed in a frown.

He began to pay attention to the conversation of the people around him. In the lounge of his hotel, in the trams, in the restaurants, he heard nothing else was nearly always the same. The price of cattle, of land, of produce; never a word of war, or of those who had paid its toll. He began to wish that he had not come back to Ireland; yet he hankered after some manifestation of that same old Irish generosity and kindliness which he had always associated with the Irish people and which had been so characteristic of their regiments on every front. Surely his country could not have lost her soul! He was told that politics lay at the root of all the trouble. He was no adventure in political affairs. Many a time and oft he had seen Ireland in the grip of political controversy before; but she had always honoured and respected brave men. Now she seemed to despise them. If only some of the smug-faced farmers had seen an Irish charge, or lain for hours in a slimy shell-hole, in a tumult of bursting and roaring fury! If they had had to go over the top when German machine-guns were as thick as blades of grass in a field, perhaps they would think less about themselves and more about the poor fellows who went under. He, too, was becoming cynical.

The discovery that a scheme for a War Memorial was in existence came almost as a shock to him. Thank God, he thought, Ireland is still herself. He was a thrifty man, and consequently had saved a considerable sum out of his pay. His subscription to the Memorial Fund was more, perhaps, than he could afford; but he felt so overjoyed at the opportunity that he did not stop to reckon the cost. After his visit to Dawson street, Dublin seemed to acquire a totally new aspect. He was no longer annoyed at the bedizened arrogance of the *nouveau riches*. In fact, it seemed to amuse him. Somewhere beneath all this paltry show, he felt, Ireland's great heart was still beating. Above all the din of political strife the still small voice of Christian charity was beginning to make itself heard. The little siding smiled. Soon he could go back to Australia now. He had found his country again. The graves of Gallipoli and Messines were not forgotten after all. Irishmen could still hold their heads throughout the world.

CELTIC STUDIES IN THE UNIVERSITIES.

At a meeting of the Irish Literary Society on Saturday, in London, Miss Una O'Farrelly, Lecturer on Irish at the National University of Ireland, gave an address on the present position of Celtic studies in the Universities of Great Britain and Ireland. The position in Great Britain, she said, was not encouraging. In Wales, where half the population spoke Welsh, only 8 per cent. of the students in one section of the matriculation examination, and 28 per cent. in another, offered Welsh as a subject. The position was worse in Scotland, and at Aberdeen there was only one student. At Oxford the Celtic chair had been suspended until December 1920, an example of extraordinary economy, while at London there were four students. In Ireland the question of essential Irish was raised and fought successfully. They fought the question with their eye on the secondary schools, and it had resulted in an enormous increase in the students taking Irish, and the language was being taught as a spoken language. At the National University the study of Irish was taken up more enthusiastically than any other subject, through the compelling force of a national duty, and it was a joy to work amongst the students.

APPEAL FOR CHILDREN ON INNOCENTS' DAY.

It is hoped to secure a world-wide observance of Holy Innocents' Day, Sunday, 28th December, with this view a circular, signed by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York and leaders of various Non-Conformist bodies, has been issued recommending that at Services on that day prayer should be offered and collections given for the relief of sufferers, especially young children in the famine-stricken areas of Europe and Asia Minor. The Pope, who has long taken a keen interest in the whole matter, is issuing a simultaneous appeal to Roman Catholics in all parts of the globe earnestly desiring their alms and prayers for children in the famine-stricken areas on that day. The Archbishop of Canterbury has further telegraphed to the Primates and Metropolitans of the Anglican Communion in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India, and the West Indies, and to the presiding Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in America informing them of what is being done, and inviting them to act in the same way.

CAMPBELL COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL FUND.

As will be seen from our advertising columns, a meeting will be held in Thompson's Restaurant, Belfast, to-morrow at 4.30 p.m., to which the subscribers to the fund and all friends of the Campbell College are invited, to view and approve the projected war memorials. These have been designed by Mr. J. R. Young, of Messrs. Young and Mackenzie, himself an old Campbellian, who served in the Army during the war. It is gratifying to know that the fund has already met with a generous response. Subscriptions are still being received by the hon. treasurer, Mr. H. T. Montgomery, F.C.A., 13 Donegall square, North, Belfast. The Committee wish to have a large attendance at the meeting.

SLIGO HEALTH AND CHILD WELFARE EXHIBITION.

A Health and Child Welfare Exhibition was opened in the Sligo Town Hall on the 18th inst. Miss Brennan, who spoke on the subject of milk, emphasised the value of such exhibitions, and hoped for some permanent results from the visit. The importance of a clean supply of milk was not properly realised. The Exhibition was continued on the 19th inst., when an interesting lecture on the care of the teeth was given by Mr. Quenton. The exhibition was brought to a close by an overflow meeting at night, when a discussion on housing was attentively followed. Miss Brennan, who spoke in a very practical manner from the women's point of view, illustrated the various points by means of instructive slide

WARRENPOINT SHIPYARD CASE.

THE ACCUSED SENT FOR TRIAL.

Mr. W. G. Duff, R.M., sat in the Courthouse, Trevor Hill, Newry, on Saturday, and resumed the taking of the depositions in the case in which James Carleton, otherwise Sir James Carleton, Crawshaw, Taylor, or Wilmot, the promoter of the Liberty Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, Ltd., Warrenpoint, is charged with various offences of alleged fraud in connection with the promotion of the company.

Mr. H. H. Musson, Crown Solicitor (instructed by D.I. Barrington) prosecuted, and Mr. F. Donnelly, M.P., appeared for the accused.

Mr. G. W. Holt, auctioneer, Newry, was examined, and stated that he had known the shipyard at Warrenpoint for the last twenty years. In January, 1918, he was instructed to hold an auction of certain things in the shipyard. The sale was a sale of the yard's gear, one of the items being a patent slip, with hauling gear complete. He examined the slip, and the decision that they came to was to sell it as scrap. He estimated the value of it at £200. It was not put up for auction, but was retained by Thompson's people, who claimed it as a fixture. He never met the accused until he saw him in court. He knew the house where he was living at Omeath, and made an inventory of all the furniture in the house when Carleton took it about six months ago. The owners of the furniture in the house were the representatives of Colonel Dobbin. He subsequently saw other articles in the house, which he understood were on the fire system contract. He bought furniture subsequently from Mrs. Carleton that was out on the hire system from Rose and Ross. He gave £270 for it.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He was aware as an auctioneer, that the patent slip would be of very little use to anyone to take away, and that any biddings he would receive for it would be practically limited to those who could use it on the spot, or by dealers for scrap.

SUPERVISOR'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. Alexander Pott Turnbull, Warrenpoint, deposed that he was an engineer, and knew the accused in Glasgow before coming to Warrenpoint. In June last he met the accused in Glasgow, where he told him that he was forming a shipbuilding company at Warrenpoint, and that he had fully 75 per cent. of the capital already subscribed by Belfast gentlemen. He offered him a position of supervisor of material and stores with the company, and said that, as he (witness) was giving up his position in the yard at Dundrum, he could devote his whole time to the company's interests. He agreed to give the accused £800, and did so. He paid him the amount by cheques—one dated 24th June, 1919, for £500, and the other for £300, dated 30th July. He handed him the £500 cheque in the office of the Clyde Valley Shipbuilding Co., where he (witness) was employed. The accused, at the time that he handed him the cheque, wrote out an agreement, under which the accused, in consideration of the advance of £800 on loan for six months, at 6 per cent. interest, guaranteed to appoint him as material supervisor in the company when formed at a salary of £250 per annum for three years, payable monthly, together with 500 shares in the company. Afterwards he received a telegram, and came over to Warrenpoint. The telegram read :—"Everything satisfactory here. Meet you to-morrow Belfast, as arranged." The witness said he went next day to Warrenpoint he gave the accused the second cheque for £300. The witness when he got to Warrenpoint took up his position as supervisor in the yard. There were no men then working in the yard. Prior to that, the yard was idle, and rumours had been current that the prospectus was issued he would say that there were about six men working in the yard. The flotation of the company was not a success. After that the accused called the staff together —the witness, the secretary, the assistant yard manager, and a Mr. Baird—and told them that three prominent Belfast gentlemen, with himself, guaranteeing £20,000, were putting the company on a good financial position. The witness afterwards interviewed the accused privately, and asked him if he would give him back his money, "seeing that the company was not prosperous." (Laughter.) He said that he would, and on this understanding the witness sent in his resignation to the company. His money had never been paid back to him. It was in consequence of the accused's statements as to the financial position of the company that he parted with his money. During the time that he was at the yard he saw no keels laid, or being laid.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He first met the accused in Glasgow on the 5th February last, and at that time the witness was an employé of the Clyde Valley Shipwrecking Company, of which the accused signed as Chairman. He came in constant touch with him there. He met him in Warrenpoint on the 4th till the 9th July, when he signed the cheque for £300. He was in the Liberty Shipyard Office during those five days, and had come to the conclusion that the shipbuilding company was a fairly good business proposition.

Mr. Donnelly—You are aware that a contract was given for the building of four ships?

The witness said that he only heard that. He did not know whether Mr. Sinclair was in the yard last week. Mr. Sinclair told him that he was contemplating taking over the yard, and that in all probability his money would be returned to him.

Mr. Donnelly—What was he when you met him in Glasgow?

Witness said that he was led to believe that he was connected with the Clyde Valley Company.

Mr. Donnelly—Are you at present being paid any salary in the yard?

The witness said that he was, and had been all along as supervisor. The secretary of the company was Mr. Lecd, paid him.

Replying to further questions by Mr. Donnelly, witness said there were some keel plates delivered to the yard in September.

THE SECRETARY'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. Neill J. M'Leod, of Queen Victoria terrace, Warrenpoint, said that he was a cashier, and in June last he saw an advertisement in the Glasgow paper for a Secretary of the Liberty Shipbuilding Company, Limited, "preference to be given to one investing from £400-£500." The applications were to be made to the company at Warrenpoint. The witness applied for the post by letter, and received a reply dated 9th July asking to arrange an interview. The letter was signed W. J. Howard, for J. Carleton. The witness replied by telegram, and met the accused on 17th July at the Central Hotel, Glasgow. The accused mentioned that he had the concrete yard at Warrenpoint for two years, and that the figures mentioned in the advertisement was a printer's mistake—that the figures should be £4,000-£5,000, and not £400 to £500. The witness said that was no good for him, and he replied—"Oh, never mind; let that go." The witness told him that £500 took a bit of saving, and the accused told him that he was like himself—that he had saved up, and put his savings in the Warrenpoint concrete yard, and that for the past two years he had made £83,000 out of the yard. He mentioned specially the last year, when he said that he had been making £5,000 monthly, and also said that getting the yard ready for building the steel ships he was making a profit out of the concrete yard. An agreement was then drawn up. The witness said that he wrote the agreement at the dictation of the accused, and it provided that he was to get a certain salary, and he was to lodge £500. The witness handed the agreement to the accused. He was to get his £500 at the end of three months if he was not satisfied. If he was satisfied, he was to get 500 Ordinary £1 shares in the company. On the 4th August the witness handed the accused a bank draft, dated 1st August, for £500. It was made payable to the Liberty Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, Limited, and was on the Glasgow branch of the Union Bank of Scotland. He got the receipt, produced, for his money, and on the 4th August he took over the position of secretary to the company at Warrenpoint. On taking over the position the accused told him that he had plenty of money invested in the company. He remembered the prospectus being issued about 21st August. Applications were made to him by 42 persons for shares. The total number of shares applied for were 2,186, and 49 told £430 15s. In money he received, which represented a deposit of 2s. 6d. on each share, with the exception of applications that were fully paid for. No allotment of the shares, however, took place, and in consequence of certain information a meeting of the directors was held on 10th September at Newcastle-on-Tyne. The witness attended the meeting. Prior to going to it he told Carleton about it, and that he intended to be present. The accused strongly objected to him going to it, and refused to allow him to take his books. Notwithstanding, he went, and as a result of that meeting the money for applications was returned to the people. The witness said that he was induced to part with his money by the statements of the accused as to the prosperity of the yard, etc. During the time that the witness was in the yard no keels were laid. No materials were got to build two vessels, as stated in the prospectus, that he knew of, nor had any boilers or materials been procured that would complete a ship. The witness never got a penny of his £500 back.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He got a favourable opinion about the prospects of the yard when he had been in it for some time, and if the company had successfully gone to flotation he was quite believed that it would have been a successful enterprise. He was aware, he continued, in reply to Mr. Donnelly, that a contract to build four ships was entered into by the Liberty Shipbuilding Company and Messrs. Rowland and Co., Liverpool. A cheque for £4,000 was received on foot of contract. It was lodged for some time by the accused for safe keeping with an accountant in Belfast, and it was afterwards handed by witness to Mr. Sinclair, in whose possession it is, as far as he knew, still was. At the time he handed Mr. Sinclair the cheque he told him that he would pay witness his own £500, but unfortunately the company that he was trading with fell through. A London syndicate that was interested in the place had made him no promise as to the return of his £500.

Mr. Donnelly—Did you ever get money through Mr. Gibson, of Belfast, to pay the wages?

Witness said that he did—from three to four weeks. He considered, having regard to the method of paying for the building of ships, that the £100,000 was sufficient capital to start the company with.

This concluded the evidence, and the accused was returned for trial to the Winter Assizes.

DISORDERLY SCENES IN LIMERICK.

POLICE PERSISTENTLY ATTACKED.

It was proposed to mark the anniversary of the Manchester "martyrs" in Limerick yesterday by a procession through the principal thoroughfares. The authorities, however, got information respecting the demonstration, and during the morning sent notice to the organisers that it would not be permitted.

A large body of troops was drafted to the Central Police Station in William street, but the promoters of the procession formed up at Bank place, towards 2 o'clock, and, to evade the police and military cordons in William street, made a detour for Mulgrave street, at the head of which is a memorial erected to Allen, Larkin, and O'Brien. In Mulgrave street, however, the processionists, with bands, were met by police and military, who barred their progress. The crowd became disorderly, the younger element resorting to stone-throwing, and several baton charges followed, the disturbance continuing for some three hours. The windows in William street Police Barracks were stoned, and baton charges and dispersals of the assailants were frequent until darkness had pretty well set in.

The military took no part in dispersing the crowds, and the stone-throwing was confined apparently to juveniles. The Constabulary acted with great forbearance. A number of shots were fired, and some people injured in the baton charges. The Constabulary state that four of their members were rather seriously injured, and seven or eight constables were struck. Glass was also broken in some private houses, but the shots fired are stated to have been blank ones for scaring purposes. There were no arrests up to yesterday evening. One soldier is stated to have been injured. Extra police had been brought into the city for the occasion.

DARING RAID FOR ARMS IN CLARE.

AGED COLONEL'S PLUCKY RESISTANCE.

A daring raid for arms took place on Friday night at Mount Callan (County Clare), the residence of Lieut.-Colonel F. St. L. Tottenham, D.L. About 8 o'clock there was a knock at the front door, and when it was opened about half-a-dozen masked and armed men entered, a number of others staying outside. Colonel Tottenham came into the hall, and the men made a demand for arms. The Colonel refused to give them up, and there was a struggle, in which he was badly knocked about, and received injuries to his eyes. He was finally knocked down by a blow of a stick or rifle. The men then completely ransacked the house, taking two shot guns, one rifle, a miniature rifle, two revolvers, and a quantity of ammunition. They remained until about half-past 2 o'clock. Colonel Tottenham, who is about 70 years of age, is stated to have put up a stiff resistance to the marauders.

Mount Callan is to the west of the county, and is one of the highest hills in Clare.

THE RAID FOR ARMS NEAR GOREY.

In connection with the recent raid for arms at the residence of Miss Nessie Gibbons, Kilbrean, near Gorey, eight young men were arrested, but all subsequently released except Albert O'Brien (21 years), of William street, Gorey. He was charged at a special court held in the Gorey Police Barracks on Saturday evening, before Mr. William Sullivan, R.M., with having, on the night of the 16th November, while disguised, and with others, entered the residence of Miss Gibbons and taken therefrom a shot-gun, a revolver, ten blunderbusses, and some swords. The Press representatives were refused admission to the court.

Miss Nessie Gibbons, daughter of the late Mr. J. G. Gibbons, K.C., formerly of Merrion square, Dublin, identified the accused, and stated that a party of four who covered her with a revolver in her drawingroom that night.

The accused, who refused to recognise the court, was sent for trial.

When the military motor lorry pulled up outside the barracks much booing was indulged in by a section of the large crowd. A baton charge was immediately ordered and the crowd quickly dispersed.

SCENE AT A TIPPERARY RAILWAY STATION.

POLICE FIRE ON MYSTERIOUS VISITORS.

A mysterious occurrence is reported to have taken place on Carrick Cross, Ramsay Station on Saturday night on the arrival of the mail train at 11.30 p.m. It appears that a police patrol was on duty at the station, and it is stated that a young man from the neighbourhood was on the platform when the train arrived by two of the passengers. As the three were proceeding along the platform they turned quickly round on seeing the police and ran in the direction of Dundrum. The police became suspicious, and called on them to halt. The men ignoring the commands, were fired upon, but it is not known if anyone was hit.

The Press Association states that members of the Royal Irish Constabulary fired eight shots at unknown men who alighted at Goold's Cross Railway Station, Co. Tipperary, by the Dublin mail on Friday night. The men were challenged by the police, and, being ignored or failed to hear the police challenge, and after challenging a second time the police fired. The men decamped in the darkness, and although it was believed that one man was badly hurt, an extensive search by the police, renewed at daylight, was unfruitful.

Our Tipperary correspondent telegraphs :—It is reported in Tipperary that on the arrival in Goold's Cross Station of the night mail train from Dublin on Friday two men carrying travelling bags, on alighting, were questioned by the police as to where they were going, and what were their names. They refused to answer, and ran away. It is said that one of the police fired a revolver after them in the darkness. No trace has since been found of the men.

PROCLAIMED DEMONSTRATION IN CORK.

A big demonstration was arranged for yesterday in Cork in honour of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien. A concert was also arranged to take place in the City Hall, but both events were proclaimed by the competent military authority. To enforce this decision a force of eight hundred military and police, the former with fixed bayonets and the latter with their carbines, were on duty in the streets. The main exits from the city were specially guarded. The city was thronged with people all the day. No attempt was made to disregard the proclamation. Although there was much excitement there was no disorder, and the military returned to barracks at five o'clock.

£150 FINE FOR ADULTERATING MILK.

At Chesterfield on Saturday a farmer of Shirebrook was fined £150 and costs for selling milk proved to be nearly half water. The magistrates expressed regret that they could not send the defendant to jail with hard labour.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE CENTRAL EMERGENCY FUND.

Letter from Lord Farnham.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The letter of the Rev. T. R. Brunskill, in the *Irish Times* of the 21st inst. shows that a considerable amount of ignorance exists as to the method of collecting for the Church of Ireland Emergency Fund. I, therefore, write to point out the following facts in connection with the Fund. The *onus* of collecting money for the Fund was thrown, by resolution of the General Synod, on each diocese, the lay members of each diocesan council being called upon to form themselves into a committee for this purpose. This has been done in all but five dioceses, which have as yet not seen their way to do so. Some dioceses have already a fund for their own needs, and have, in addition, started to collect for the general Fund, so that they may carry out the intention of the General Synod, and help poorer dioceses as well as their own.

The method of collecting is left to the discretion of the dioceses, and the success of the Fund will entirely depend on the energy displayed by the laymen in each diocese making a collection. The following method has been adopted in my own diocese :—Every church in the diocese is being visited by a lay member of the diocesan committee, and of the congregation thoroughly educated as to the urgent need of this Fund. Also, the necessity that the laity of the Church should find financial support for their Church is carefully explained to them—a fact which is at present not understood by a large number of parishioners.

The support aimed at by the committee for the Fund is the equivalent to the subscriptions for assessment every year for the next five years. In other words, if the subscription of a parish assessment is £100, then another £100 will be raised for the Emergency Fund every year for five years. In some cases for this year this has already been done, and in others they are in the process of collecting. All parishes that I have addressed have shown the utmost sympathy for the Fund and their eagerness to do the best they can. I understand also that in other dioceses much the same method is being adopted.

A committee of lay members for the distribution of the Fund has been formed, and the first distribution will be made before Christmas. An advisory committee has been formed to try to help this Fund. This committee will get into touch with all the dioceses, will ascertain what they are doing to push the Fund, and will publish from time to time how the Fund is progressing.—Yours, etc.,

FARNHAM.

November 22nd, 1919.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am afraid that the letter of my friend, Mr. Brunskill, may somewhat tend to the discouraging of readers as to the working of this Fund. During this week I have attended two committee meetings in Dublin in connection with the Fund, and I can assure your readers that those who are promoting it have no intention of letting it die of inanition. A good deal of money has been collected, and a good many dioceses have joined in it. One of the poorest united dioceses, Killala and Achonry, has sent in quite a large sum.

I am collecting with Sir James Stronge for the Diocese of Armagh. We shall be glad to receive contributions at any time from your readers. The object of this letter is not, however, to ask for contributions, but to assure your readers that the Fund is being carried on. An influential committee of lay members of these diocesan councils who have taken up the Fund has been formed, and information as to the Fund can be obtained from the secretary at the office of the Church Representative Church Body, 52 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin.—Yours, etc.,

B. R. BALFOUR.

Townley Hall, Drogheda,
November 22nd, 1919.

THE MILK CRUSADE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your correspondent's goat's milk crusade, commencing with Mr. O'Grady's letter, ought to convince the public of what a national importance of the humble goat and its improvement. Since 1911, when our United Irish-women's Association started goats, we have been doing individually and collectively to increase the milk supply, and, as a result of goods sent in this neighbourhood, have arrived at the gallon milker and aroused real interest in goat improvement—so much so that in one district in Wexford we have to send a second stud goat owing to the huge demand for a good sire. I have great hopes that this interest will lead to the keeping of milk records, so that we may see what has been gained and be further encouraged to greater efforts. Some people are under the impression from the value of goat's milk for children and invalids, how useful it is in the home. It is richer and nicer than cow's milk in tea, and also for cooking, and it is easily converted into a most acceptable soft cheese.—Yours, etc.,

S. D. DEANE,
Manager, United Irishwomen's Goat Farm.
Longraigue, Foulkes Mills, Co. Wexford,
November 20th, 1919.

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SIR,—We all deplore the high price and the scarcity of milk, more especially because the principal sufferers. Why is the price high? Because milk is scarce, and because of the high wages paid to labourers, etc. Why is milk scarce? Because many farmers have reduced their herds of milch cows, fearing that their labourers may strike for still higher wages.

I know a case in point. A farmer used to milk seventy cows. He has reduced the number to fifty in order to be independent of a strike. He milks by machinery. With the help of his family he can milk and "strip" fifty cows, but not seventy. Result—decreased production and increased price.

It should be brought home to all consumers—and labourers, under the heading—that this decreased production is the only thing that will reduce prices, and that strikes, which tend to decrease production, have the opposite effect. No increase in wages will enable men to buy more milk unless milk enough exists to meet the demand. The same holds good as regard all other commodities. M. Clemenceau's advice was sound when, on saying good-bye to a deputation in France, he advised them to go home and work twice as hard as ever they worked before.—Yours, etc.,

"X."

Co. Waterford, November 21st, 1919.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have to thank Miss Whitty for directing my attention to a word in my letter of the 18th inst., which evidently was misunderstood. I spoke of "imported sires," meaning Anglo-Nubian and Toggenburg goats, the progeny of sires imported into England years ago from Abyssinia and Switzerland respectively. Since then no goats have been imported owing to

IRISH BANKING CRISIS.

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quested, to meet for the purpose of such discussion at such place and time as may be most convenient for the directors those members of the said Committee who are officials of the bank of which they are directors and the organising secretary of the Association (not being a bank official). With regard to No. 2, the matters the Association claims to discuss are:—Minimum scales of salaries and allowances supplemental to salaries; rates of bonuses during exceptional times; hours of work; remuneration for overtime work; retiring allowances and pensions; widows' and orphans' funds; vacations; marriage restrictions; lunching facilities; treatment of individuals deemed by the Association after investigation to be unjust."

I understand the letter from the Hibernian Bank was written with the knowledge and approval of all Boards of Directors, and that my reply was communicated to them. It was then, and still is, my opinion that no bank directors would with reason at this period of time refuse to recognise an association of bank officials, and that it would remain in the power of any Board of Directors who had granted recognition to refuse any extravagant or unreasonable demand, if such were ever made.

Beyond a bare acknowledgment, my letter of the 12th September remains unanswered, save by the directors of the Hibernian Bank, Ltd., who have refused the appeal. A further letter, dated 25th October, stating that I must take a failure to reply within a week as a refusal, remains unacknowledged.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE'S DECISION.

MANAGERS AND AGENTS RELEASED.

The Executive Committee, before deciding to take a step so serious and so opposed to the traditions of its members, and having regard to the large Staff Roll, took another ballot this month on the question of an immediate cessation of work, which is believed to be the only remaining means of effecting the object in view, and on this ballot only 91 votes were given against this policy out of a total poll of 2,437, which includes 945 accountants, sub-agents, and cashiers.

Managers and agents, of whom 269 are members of the Association, were expressly released from voting and from any order that might follow the poll, so that in the event of a cessation of work they might remain to protect the bank premises and the funds and securities of the public. The only ballot which was given to the association, numbering about 300, did not return ballot papers. Bank officials are known to the public by, perhaps, is no other body of men; and it will be realised that, if such men are practically unanimous in favour of organisation, and an association which is recognised, there must be a real need for it.

STRIKE ON 31st DECEMBER.

The Joint Council, consisting of the Executive Committee and delegates from local committees covering the whole of Ireland, sat to-day in Dublin and came to a unanimous decision, and I have been instructed by it to inform you that on 31st December, 1919, or upon all bank officials who are members of this Association (except managers and agents) will cease work in every bank which in the meantime has failed to notify me as organising secretary that it is prepared to grant recognition and refer to arbitrate in any way any bank that refuses to grant recognition, and will not resume their duties until it is granted.

In the event of any Board of Directors taking advantage of this notice (which is given for the convenience of the public) to dismiss individuals or introduce outside labour prior to the date fixed, the Executive Committee holds itself free to order a cessation of work at any earlier date.

I am also instructed by the Council to give instructions as to the disposal of all keys of strong rooms and safes, as, failing such instructions, every officer in charge of keys will retain possession of them (as is his duty) until authorised to deliver them to an agent of the bank personally known to him.

I am sending a copy of this letter to the Press.—I am, etc.,

C. H. DENEGRE, Organising Secretary.

THREATENED STRIKE OF IRISH CHEMISTS.

MINISTRY OF LABOUR INTERVENES.

The strike of Irish chemists' assistants which, it was threatened, would take place on Saturday night has for the present been averted. It was announced on Saturday afternoon that Mr. Gordon Campbell, Secretary for the Ministry of Labour, had arranged a meeting, at which he will preside, to be held at the Ministry of Labour, Dublin, to-morrow. It will be attended by the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Federation of Irish Chemists' (Employers') Association and Mr. Kelly, local Secretary of the Assistants' Union, and the situation will be discussed and an endeavour made to bring about a settlement. The notice, which terminated on Saturday evening at 9 o'clock, were, in the circumstances, withdrawn.

At a meeting of the Dublin Branch of the Chemists' Section of the Shop Assistants' Union yesterday, the action of Secretary Kelly and W. Kelly, in calling off the threatened strike was approved, and it was decided that, in the event of a satisfactory decision by the employers at the conference on Tuesday not being arrived at, a strike should be declared to take effect from that night.

CHURCH OF IRELAND WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Board of the Church of Ireland Widows' and Orphans' Fund met last Thursday. The Chairman (Mr. J. A. Maconchy) presided. Other members present were:—The Bishop of Killaloe, the Archdeacon of Down, Archdeacon of the Clogher, Canon H. B. Kennedy, Canon Kernan, Rev. E. C. Hammond, the Earl of Belmore, D.L.; Major E. H. C. Wellesley, Mr. H. B. Armstrong, D.L.; Mr. Herbert Ewart, and Mr. Howard Guinness.

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Payments were ordered:—Widows' and Orphans' Fund (Church of Ireland), expenses, £2 14s. 6d.; Clogher Diocesan Fund annuities, £15.

ALIEN PASSENGERS TO AMERICA.

The American Consul in London has received a cablegram from the Department of State in Washington stating that recently several aliens have arrived at different ports in the United States without having had their visas viséed by an American Consular officer. The Consul says that under the Act of May 22nd, 1918, steamship companies are liable to prosecution for violation of visa regulations, especially in cases of former enemy aliens. No alien should be allowed to embark for the United States unless in possession of a passport duly vised by an American Consular officer, and steamship tickets should not be issued to prospective travellers until it has been ascertained that a visa will be granted to them.

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SLIGO HEALTH AND CHILD WELFARE EXHIBITION.

A Health and Child Welfare Exhibition was opened in the Sligo Town Hall on the 18th inst., Miss Brennan, who spoke on the subject of milk, emphasised the value of such exhibitions, and hoped for some permanent results from the visit. The importance of a clean supply of milk was not properly realised. The exhibition was continued on the 19th inst., when an interesting lecture on the care of the teeth was given by Mr. Quenton. The exhibition was brought to a close by an overflow meeting at night, when a discussion on housing was attentively followed. Miss Brennan, who spoke in a very practical manner from the women's point of view, illustrated the various points by means of instructive slide

WARRENPOINT SHIPYARD CASE.

THE ACCUSED SENT FOR TRIAL.

Mr. W. G. Duff, R.M., sat in the Courthouse, Trevor Hill, Newry, on Saturday, and resumed the taking of the depositions in the case in which James Carleton, otherwise Sir James Carleton, Crawshaw, Taylor, or Wilmot, the promoter of the Liberty Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, Ltd., Warrenpoint, is charged with various offences of alleged fraud in connection with the promotion of the company.

Mr. H. H. Musson, Crown Solicitor (instructed by D.I. Barrington) prosecuted, and Mr. F. Donnelly, M.P., appeared for the accused.

Mr. G. W. Holt, auctioneer, Newry, was examined, and stated that he had known the shipyard at Warrenpoint for the last twenty years. In January, 1918, he was instructed to hold an auction of certain things in the shipyard. The sale was a sale of the yard's gear, one of the items being a patent slip, with hauling gear complete. He examined the slip, and the decision that they came to was to sell it as scrap. He estimated the value of it at £200. It was not put up for auction, but was retained by Thompson's people, who claimed it as a fixture. He never met the accused until he saw him in court. He knew the house where he was living at Ounsath, and made an inventory of all the furniture in the house when Carleton took it about two months ago. The owners of the furniture in the house were the representatives of Colonel Dobbin. He subsequently saw other articles in the house, which he understood were on the hire system agreement. He bought furniture subsequently from Mrs. Carleton that was out on the hire system from Ross and Ross. He gave £270 for it.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He was aware as an auctioneer, that the patent slip would be of very little use to anyone to take away, and that any biddings he would receive for it would be practically limited to those who could use it on the spot, or by dealers for scrap.

SUPERVISOR'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. Alexander Pott Turnbull, Warrenpoint, deposed that he was an engineer, and knew the accused in Glasgow before coming to Warrenpoint. In June last he met the accused in Glasgow, where he told him that he was forming a shipbuilding company at Warrenpoint, and that he had fully 75 per cent. of the capital already subscribed by Belfast gentlemen. He offered him a position of supervisor of material and stores with the company, and said that, as he had heavy payments in the formation of the company, to start with a little advance of money from witness would be an advantage to him at the time, and would mean a lot for witness. He said that it was a Government yard that he was buying, and that he was getting it at a very reasonable price. He also said that the yard was a modern once, just being given up. The witness believed the statements to be true, and, in consequence of them, he arranged to give the accused £800, and did so. He paid him the amount by cheques dated 24th June and 9th July, 1919, for £500, and the other for £300, dated 9th July. He handed him the £500 cheque in the office of the Clyde Valley Ship-welders Co., where he (witness) was employed. The accused, at the time that he handed him the cheque, wrote out an agreement, under which the accused, in consideration of the advance of £800 on loan for six months, at 6 per cent. interest, guaranteed to obtain for witness a material supervisor in the company when formed at a salary of £250 per annum for three years, payable monthly, together with 500 shares in the company. Afterwards he received a telegram, and came over to Warrenpoint. The telegram read:—"Everything satisfactory here. Meet you to-morrow Belfast, as arranged." The witness said that when he got to Warrenpoint he gave the accused the second cheque for £300. The witness when he got to Warrenpoint took up his position as supervisor in the yard. There were no men then working in the yard. Prior to this time that the prospectus was issued he took stock of what were about six men working in the yard. The flotation of the company was not a success. After that the accused called the staff together in witness's office, the secretary, the assistant yard manager, and a few others, and told them that three prominent Belfast gentlemen, with himself, guaranteeing £20,000, were putting the company in a good financial position. The witness interviewed the gentlemen discussed privately, and asked him if he would give him back his money, "seeing that the company was so prosperous." (Laughter.) He said that he would, and on that understanding the witness sent in his resignation to the company. His money had never been paid back to him. It was in consequence of the accused's statements as to the financial position of the company that he parted with his money. During the time that he was at the yard he saw no keels laid, or being laid.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He first met the accused in Glasgow on the 15th February last, and at that time the witness was an employé of the Clyde Valley Shipwelders' Company, of which the accused signed as Chairman. He came in constant touch with him there. He was in Warrenpoint from 4th till the 9th July, when he signed the cheque for £300. He was in the Liberty Shipyard Office during those five days, and had come to the conclusion that the shipbuilding company was a fairly good business proposition.

Mr. Donnelly—You are aware that a contract was given for the building of four ships?

The witness said that he only heard that. He did not know whether Mr. Sinclair was in Ireland or not. Mr. Sinclair told him that he was contemplating taking over the yard, and that in all probability his money would be returned to him.

Mr. Donnelly—What was he when you met him in Glasgow?

Witness said that he was led to believe that he was connected with the Clyde Valley Company.

Mr. Donnelly—Are you at present being paid any salary in the yard?

The witness said that he was, and had been all along as supervisor. The secretary of the company, Mr. M'Leod, paid him.

Replying to further questions by Mr. Donnelly, witness said there were some keel plates delivered to the yard in September.

THE SECRETARY'S EVIDENCE.

Mr. Neill J. M'Leod, of Queen Victoria terrace, Warrenpoint, said that he was a cashier, and in June last he saw an advertisement in a Glasgow paper for a secretary to the Liberty Shipbuilding Company, Limited, "preference to be given to one investing from £400-£500." The applications were to be made to the company at Warrenpoint. The witness applied for the post by letter, and received a reply dated 9th July asking to arrange an interview. The letter was signed W. J. Horand, for J. Carleton. The witness replied by telegram, and met the accused on 17th July at the Central Hotel, Glasgow. The accused mentioned that he had the concrete yard at Warrenpoint for two years, and that the figures mentioned in the advertisement was a printer's mistake—that the figures should be £4,000-£5,000, and not £400 to £500. The witness said that was no good for him, and he replied—"Oh, never mind; let that go." The witness told him that £500 took a bit of saving, and the accused told him that he was like himself—that he had saved up, and put his savings in the Warrenpoint concrete yard, and that for the past two years he had made £85,000 out of the yard. He mentioned specially the last year, when he said that he had made £45,000. He also said that while he was getting the yard ready for building the steel ships he was making a profit out of the concrete yard. An agreement was then drawn up. The witness said that he wrote the agreement at the dictation of the accused, and it provided that he was to get a certain salary, and he was to lodge £500. The witness handed the agreement to the accused. He was to get £500 at the end of three months if he was not satisfied. If he was satisfied, he was to get 500 Ordinary £1 shares in the company. On the 4th August the witness handed the accused a bank draft, dated 1st August, for £500. It was made payable to the Liberty Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company, Limited, and was on the Glasgow branch of the Union Bank of Scotland. He got the receipt, produced, for his money, and on the 4th August he took over the position of secretary to the company at Warrenpoint. On taking over the position the accused told him that he had plenty of money invested in the company. He remembered the prospectus being issued about 21st August. Applications were made to him by 42 persons for shares. The total number of shares applied for were £2,186, and all told £430 15s. in money was received, which represented a deposit of 2s. 6d. on each share, with the exception of applications that were fully paid for. No allotment of the shares, however, took place, and in consequence of certain information at a meeting of the directors was held on 10th September at Newcastle-on-Tyne. The witness attended the meeting. Prior to going to it he told Carleton about it, and that he intended to be present. The accused strongly objected to him going to it, and refused to allow him to take his books. Notwithstanding, he went, and as a result of the meeting the money for applications was returned to the people. The witness said that he was induced to part with his money by the statements of the accused as to the prosperity of the yard, etc. During the time that the witness was in the yard no keels were laid. No materials were got to build two vessels, as stated in the prospectus, that he knew of, nor had any boilers or materials been procured that would complete a ship. The witness never got a penny of his £500 back.

Cross-examined by Mr. Donnelly—He formed a favourable opinion about the prospects of the yard when he had been in it for some time, and if the company had successfully come to flotation he quite believed that it would have be... a successful enterprise. He was aware, he continued, in reply to Mr. Donnelly, that a contract to build four ships was entered into by the Liberty Shipbuilding Company and Messrs. Rowland and Co., Liverpool. A cheque for £4,000 was received on foot of contract. It was lodged for some time by the accused for safe keeping with an accountant in Belfast, and it was afterwards handed by witness to Mr. Sinclair, in whose possession it, as far as he knew, still was. At the time he handed Mr. Sinclair the cheque he told him that he would pay witness his own £800, but unfortunately the company that he was trading with fell through. A London syndicate that was interested in the place had made him no promise as to the return of his £500.

Mr. Donnelly—Did you ever get money through Mr. Gibson, of Belfast, to pay the wages?

Witness said that he did—from three to four weeks. He considered, having regard to the method of paying for the building of ships, that the £100,000 was sufficient capital to start the company with.

This concluded the evidence, and the accused was returned for trial to the Winter Assizes.

DISORDERLY SCENES IN LIMERICK.

POLICE PERSISTENTLY ATTACKED.

It was proposed to mark the anniversary of the Manchester "martyrs" in Limerick yesterday by a procession through the principal thoroughfares. The authorities, however, got information respecting the demonstration, and during the morning sent notice to the organisers that it would not be permitted.

A large body of troops was drafted to the Central Police Station in William street, but the promoters of the procession formed up at Bank place, towards 2 o'clock, and, to evade the police and military cordons in William street, made a detour for Mulgrave street, at the head of which is a memorial erected to Allen, Larkin, and O'Brien. In Mulgrave street, however, the processionists, with bands, were met by police and military, who barred their progress. The crowd became disorderly, the younger element resorting to stone-throwing, and several baton charges followed, the disturbance continuing for some three hours. The windows in William street Police Barracks were stoned, and baton charges and dispersals of the assailants were frequent until darkness had pretty well set in.

The military took no part in dispersing the crowds, and the stone-throwing was confined apparently to juveniles. The Constabulary acted with great forbearance. A number of shots were fired, and some people injured in the baton charges. The Constabulary state that four of their members were rather seriously injured, and seven or eight constables were struck. Glass was also broken in some private houses, but the shots fired are stated to have been blank ones for scaring purposes. There were no arrests up to yesterday evening. One soldier is stated to have been injured. Extra police had been brought into the city for the occasion.

DARING RAID FOR ARMS IN CLARE.

AGED COLONEL'S PLUCKY RESISTANCE.

A daring raid for arms took place on Friday night at Mount Callan (County Clare), the residence of Lieut.-Colonel F. St. L. Tottenham, D.L. About 8 o'clock there was a knock at the front door, and when Colonel Tottenham, with a dozen masked and armed men entered, a number of others staying outside. Colonel Tottenham came into the hall, and the men made a demand for arms. The Colonel refused to give them up, and there was a struggle, in which he was badly knocked about, and received injuries to his eyes. He was finally knocked down by a blow of a stick or club. The men then completely ransacked the house, taking two shot guns, one rifle, a miniature rifle, two revolvers, and a quantity of ammunition. They remained until about half-past 2 o'clock. Colonel Tottenham, who is about 70 years of age, is stated to have put up a stiff resistance to the marauders.

Mount Callan is to the west of the county, and is one of the highest hills in Clare.

THE RAID FOR ARMS NEAR GOREY.

In connection with the recent raid for arms at the residence of Miss Nessie Gibbons, Killennel, near Gorey, eight young men were arrested, but all were released except John O'Brien (21 years), of William street, Gorey. He was charged at a special court held in the Gorey Police Barracks on Saturday evening, before Mr. William Sullivan, R.M., with having, on the night of the 16th November, while disguised, and with others, entered the residence of Miss Gibbons and taken therefrom a shot-gun, a revolver, two blunderbusses, and some bayonets. The Crown representatives were refused admission to the court.

Miss Nessie Gibbons, daughter of the late Mr. J. G. Gibbons, K.C., formerly of Merrion square, Dublin, identified, commencing with Mr. O'Grady's letter, ought to convince the public of the national importance of the humble goat and its improvement. Since 1911, when our United Irishwomen's Association started goats, we have been working individually and collectively to increase the milk supply, and, as a result of good sires in this neighbourhood, have arrived at the gallon milker and aroused real interest in goat improvement—so much so that in one district in Wexford we have to send a special stud goat owing to the huge demand for a good sire. I have great hopes that this interest will lead to the keeping of milk records, so that we may see what has been gained and be further encouraged to persevere. Some people are unaware, apart from the value of goat's milk for children and invalids, how useful it is in the home. It is richer and nicer than cow's milk in tea, and also for cooking, and it can be converted into a most acceptable soft cheese.—Yours, etc.,

S. D. DEANE,
Manager, United Irishwomen's Goat Farm.
Longraigue, Foulkes Mills, Co. Wexford,
November 20th, 1919.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—We all deplore the high price and the scarcity of milk, more especially because the children of the labouring classes are the principal sufferers. Why is the price high? Because milk is scarce. Why is it scarce? Because it is not paid to labourers, etc. Why is milk scarce? Because many farmers have reduced their herds of milch cows, fearing that their labourers may go on strike for still higher wages.

I know a case in point. A farmer used to milk seventy cows. He has reduced the number to fifty in order to be independent of a strike. He milks by machinery. His family of big family he can milk and "strip" fifty cows, but not seventy. Result—decreased production and increased price.

Would it not be brought home to all consumers—and labours come under this heading—that increased production is the only thing that will reduce prices, and that strikes, which tend to decrease production, have the opposite effect? No increase in wages will enable men to buy more milk unless milk enough exists to meet the demand. The same holds good as regard all other commodities. M. Clemenceau's advice was sound when, in saying good-bye to a deputation in France, he advised them to get to work and work twice as hard as ever they worked before.—Yours, etc.,

X.Y.Z.

Co. Waterford, November 21st, 1919.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have to thank Miss Whitty for directing my attention to a word in my letter of the 18th inst., which evidently was misunderstood. I spoke of "imported sires," meaning Anglo-Nubian and Toggenburg goats, the progeny of sires imported into England years ago from Abyssinia and Switzerland respectively. Since then no goats have been imported owing to the fear of disease. I confess that I should never have thought of applying the term "imported" to British-bred goats.—Yours, etc.,

R. SAUNDERS.

The Irish Goat Society, Trillick, Co. Tyrone,
November 22nd, 1919.

THE IRISH RAILWAYS BILL.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—An important announcement appears in the papers to-day of the presentation in the House of Commons of "the Irish Railways (Confirmation of Agreement) Bill," which, it is stated, is "to confirm certain terms in an agreement between His Majesty's Government and the Irish railway companies." This bill deserves the closest attention from every County Council having within its area, or being otherwise interested in, any railway the dividends of which are guaranteed by the ratepayers.

Under these guarantees the ratepayers are entitled to get credit for the actual traffic receipts when the payment under guarantee is being calculated. An attempt is now being made to standardise the traffic receipts at the figure at which they stood in 1912-13. Since that time fares and freights have been increased by from 75 to 100 *per cent.* Guaranteeing ratepayers are not interested at all in the increased cost (wages, coal, etc.), as this factor does not affect the terms of guarantees.

If there is anybody now watching Irish interests in Parliament, pressure should be brought to bear to secure, if possible, that all light railway guarantees be transferred from the ratepayers to the Government, on the grounds that (a) the increased traffic receipts eliminate the ratepayers' liability under the terms of the guarantees; and (b) because a railway guarantee is an anachronism at a time when railway nationalisation is in the air. Failing this, the bill should be made to secure to the ratepayers the specific terms on which they agreed to be rated—*i.e.*, that they should make up the guaranteed dividend for each half-year, credit being first given for the agreed proportion of the actual traffic receipts for that half-year.—Yours, etc.,

W. G. FOGARTY.

Galway, November 21st, 1919.

IRISH HOUSING.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In reference to the recent debate on housing in the House of Commons, and Captain Redmond's suggestion that the Local Government Board is insisting on too high a standard

£150 FINE FOR ADULTERATING MILK.

At Chesterfield on Saturday a farmer of Shirebrook was fined £150 and costs for selling milk proved to be nearly half water. The magistrates expressed regret that they could not send the defendant to jail with hard labour.

SCENE AT A TIPPERARY RAILWAY STATION.

POLICE FIRE ON MYSTERIOUS VISITORS.

A mysterious occurrence is reported to have taken place at Goold's Cross Railway Station on the arrival there at 11.30 p.m. of the mail train at 11.30 p.m. It appears that a police patrol was on duty at the station, and it is stated that a young man from the neighbourhood was on the platform, and that he was joined by two of the passengers. As the three were proceeding along the platform they turned quickly round on seeing the police and ran in the direction of Dundrum. The police became suspicious, and called on them to halt. The men, ignoring the commands, were fired upon, but it is not known if anyone was hit.

The Press Association states that members of the Royal Irish Constabulary fired eight shots at unknown men who slighted at Goold's Cross Railway Station, Co. Tipperary, by the Dublin mail on Friday night. The men were challenged by the police, and either ignored or failed to hear the police challenge, and after challenging a second time the police fired. The men decamped in the darkness, and although it was believed that one man was badly hurt, an examination by the police, renewed at daylight, was unfruitful.

Our Tipperary correspondent telegraphs:—It is reported in Tipperary that on the arrival in Goold's Cross Station of the night mail train from Dublin on Friday also two men carrying travelling bags, on alighting, were questioned by the police as to where they were going, and what were their names. They refused to answer, and ran away. It is said that one of the police fired a revolver after them in the darkness. No trace has since been found of the men.

PROCLAIMED DEMONSTRATION IN CORK.

A big demonstration was arranged for yesterday in Cork in honour of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien. A concert was also arranged to take place in the City Hall, both events being proclaimed by the competent military authority. To enforce this decision a force of eight hundred military and police, the former with fixed bayonets and the latter with their carbines, were on duty in the streets. The main exits from the city were specially guarded. The city was thronged with people all the day. No attempt was made to disregard the proclamation. Although there was much excitement there was no disorder, and the military returned to barracks at five o'clock.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE CENTRAL EMERGENCY FUND.

Letter from Lord Farnham.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The letter of the Rev. T. R. Brunskill, in the *Irish Times* of the 21st inst. shows that a considerable amount of ignorance exists as to the method of collecting for the Church of Ireland Emergency Fund. I, therefore, write to point out the following facts in connection with the Fund. The *onus* of collecting money for the Fund was thrown, by resolution of the General Synod, on each diocese, the lay members of each diocesan council being called upon to form themselves into a committee for this purpose. This has been done in all but five dioceses, which have as yet not seen their way to do so. Some dioceses have already a fund for their own needs, and have, in addition, started to collect for the general Fund, so that they may carry out the intention of the General Synod, and help poorer dioceses as well as their own.

The method of collecting is left to the discretion of the dioceses, and the success of the Fund will entirely depend on the energy displayed by the laymen in each diocese making a collection. The following method has been adopted in my own diocese:—Every church in the diocese is being visited by a lay member of the diocesan committee, and the congregation strongly exhorted as to the urgent need of this Fund. Also, the necessity that the laity of the Church should find financial support for their Church is carefully explained to them—a fact which is at present not understood by a large number of parishioners.

The support aimed at by the committee for the Fund is the equivalent to the subscriptions for assessment every year for the next five years. In other words, if the subscription of a parish assessment is £100, then another £100 will be raised for the Emergency Fund every year for five years. In some cases for this year this has already been done, and in others they are in the process of collecting. All parishes are to be reconditioned to put her on to the Southampton-New York service of the company. Other important developments in connection with the American Line are now pending.

The British Government have directed the Pacific Steam Navigation Company to take charge of the German ships, both steam and sail, which have been interned in Chile during the war. Originally there were eighty-seven vessels taken over, representing a quarter of a million tons. The first two—the Alda and the Nitzokis —arrived from Antofagasta in the Mersey on Saturday.

SIR JOHN SIMON CANDIDATE FOR SPEN VALLEY.

Sir John Simon was on Saturday unanimously adopted Independent Liberal candidate for the Spen Valley. Sir John said that he was an Independent Liberal, entirely unpledged to any party, and prepared to criticise. Regarding Russia, he asked every Liberal to back up the Premier when the Prime Minister declared firmly and finally against the continuance of the Russian adventure. He could not see the reconciliation of the whole of Ireland. He urged fairness to the Government over housing, and said that the workers must be taken into greater confidence by the employers.

VICTIMS OF THE WAR.

REQUIEM MASSES FOR THE DEAD.

In all the Roman Catholic churches of the Diocese of Dublin yesterday (Sunday) High Masses were celebrated for the repose of the souls of those who lost their lives in the military operations or otherwise during the war. In a circular issued to the clergy announcing the Bishop's Archbishop Walsh wrote:—"The Holy Father, moved to compassion by the thought of the vast multitudes of those who lost their lives, in military operations or otherwise, during the war, has been pleased to sanction a notable departure from the ordinary rubrics of the Missal regarding Masses for the dead." The Pope empowered bishops to grant permission to the clergy to celebrate a Mass of requiem, and the following day is named in the decree, and His Grace appointed yesterday for the celebration of these Masses in the Diocese of Dublin. In all the city churches the Masses, which were celebrated at 12 o'clock, were attended by very large congregations. By a special stipulation in the Papal decree any funeral oration or sermon on the occasion was expressly excluded.

for houses, the Housing Committee of the Dublin Watch Committee wish to urge that a high standard in building schemes should at all costs be maintained. From the point of view of health and efficiency, two dwellings per acre to build houses (as has been in some cases proposed) with bedrooms measuring 9 ft. x 10 ft. If the economic rent of a decent house is too high in proportion to the wages of the workers, the remedy is not (1) to reduce the wages, but (2) let the Government deal with the situation in Ireland as efficiently as it is being forced to do in England, by the provision of equally ample loans and subsidies. If there is any difference of opinion on any of the two countries, it is that the need here is more acute. "Cheap and nasty" building is not true economy; it is creating fresh slums which will not meet the demand of the coming generation.—Yours, etc.,

H. S. CRENNVIX, Chairman.
CLARA MOSER, Hon. Secretary.
The Dublin Watch Committee,
29 South Anne street, Dublin,
November 22nd, 1919.

POSTCARDS AND ARTISTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Your correspondent, "Nobody," has just reason for regret in the scarcity of artistic postcard views in this country. It is, indeed, deplorable to find our beauty spots pict

Fashionable Intelligence

Prince Albert will be initiated into Freemasonry in the Navy Lodge, No. 2,612, on December 2nd.

The Aga Khan has left London for Paris.

The Dowager Marchioness of Dufferin and Ava left Dublin on Friday on a visit to Lord and Lady Plunket at Old Connaught, Bray. Lady Dufferin has taken a house in London.

Viscount and Viscountess Cowdray have left London for Paris, *en route* to Biarritz.

Lord Farnham returned to Farnham, Cavan, on Friday from Dublin.

Lord HolmPatrick returned to Abbotstown, Castleknock, on Saturday.

Lady Langford desires to thank all who have written to her in her great loss. She hopes soon to be able to answer their kind letters personally.

Sir Robert Woods has left town for some days.

A marriage has been arranged between Captain H. O. Wiley, M.C., 5th Dragoon Guards, son of the late Major H. Wiley, Lincolnshire Regiment, and Mrs. Wiley, of 100 Ashley Gardens, S.W., and Frances, daughter of Major-General Sir Charles and Lady Kavanagh, of Moorefield House, Newbridge.

The marriage arranged between Captain J. H. Courage, Royal Welch Fusiliers, and Mrs. A. G. McNeill will take place on December 18, 1919, at Christ Church, Leeson Park, Dublin.

Mr. John J. Mullally leaves the Gresham Hotel to-day for U.S., America, and will return at the end of January.

Special display of finest quality Gloves at Switzer's, Grafton street.

Our Gown, Lace, Glove, and Hosiery Buyers have returned from the Fashion Markets with a collection of beautiful Models and Novelties for Christmas.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

Siberian Fur Company, 8 Grafton street, Dublin, have always in stock Dainty Furs and Fur Coats at most reasonable prices. A call will prove same. We offer to make forty Tailor-made Costumes by M. Jules Perlaux, of best quality materials, at a great reduction before stock-taking.—Mr. P. Scott, Managar.

Salthill Hotel, Monkstown. Proprietors, Royal Hibernian Hotel. Winter terms on application.

Barrett and Heade, 5 Dawson street—Smart Gowns, Fur-Trimmed Coats, and Sports Coats, reasonable.

Very delightful Evening Gowns just arrived at Slyne's.

Evening Gowns, in Jade Green Satin and Net, with oxidised tissue shot green, for 9½ guineas, at Slyne's.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers—Major and Mrs. L'Estrange, Rev. and Mrs. B. ... Irwin, Captain W. Bond, Major Robert Green, Captain Poe, Serjeant Sullivan, K.C.; Lieut.-Colonel Ruttledge, Lady Mary Scott, Lieut. and Mrs. Falls, Lieut. A. Brooke, Dames Longworth, Neville Cook, Captain H. ... Henry, Captain B. J. Hope, R.E.; Major and Mrs. H. Walter Jones, Lieut. B. C. Cooke, Captain F. G. Beatty, Major Brain, Major Fenley, Lieut. Guinness, Colonel and Mrs. Browne, Major S. Houghton, Captain and Mrs. M'Call, Major Boyle, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Grubb; Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Rowe, W. S. Williams, Mr. Martin, R. D. Boyd, J. F. G. Boyle, H. Dunne Cooke, M. B. Hegarty, A. M. Banon, S. D. Roche, T. F. Peters, Mr. and Mrs. E. Vigors, T. G. Buchanan, R. Bond, T. E. Ireton, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cogan, P. J. Hilliard, Gerald Blake, Neill M'Loone, A. Bayly, Mr. and Mrs. Stanhope Williams, Alfred Purcell, S. Geoghegan, R. W. S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wemyss Reid, R. Duggan, F. H. Blackburn Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Hall Dare, Mr. and Mrs. Crozier, Miss J. Savage, Miss Rosemary Bond, Miss Neilan, Misses Phelps, Miss Kathleen Day, Miss Montgomery, Miss Anna Butler, Mrs. S. Waddell, Miss Lydeman, Miss E. Gordon, Miss F. P. Jackson, Mrs. D. Hilliard, Misses Shelton, Miss J. Burry, Miss Marjorie Boyd, Mrs. A. K. Dunlop, Miss Morris, Mrs. Horsley, Miss Chestermaster, Miss A. Rowes, Mrs. Gerald Hone, Miss E. M. Cortally, Miss Martin, Mrs. Louch, Geo. N. Jacob.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers—Colonel H. Jamieson Davies, Captain E. Denison Oxley, Captain Rev. W. and Mrs. Carroll, Captain C. Weldon Molony, Major Sir Keith Fraser, M.P.; Lady Dorothy Fraser, Captain W. Russell, Marnite, Captain D. Redington, Mrs. Saunderson, Lieut. and Mrs. A. S. Donaldson, Lieut. P. D. Powell, Captain J. Hardie, Major Segrave, Captain Wellesley, Colonel Page, Hennessy, Hon. H. Thellusson, Countess of Stamford, Captain and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Major Charrington, Colonel Charlton, Colonel and Mrs. Lane, Major Humphries, Captain and Mrs. Roger Mostyn, Lieut.-Colonel R. Luker, Captain R. W. George, Doctor Robinson, Captain Lessey, Major Harvey, Mr. Kaplan, R. W. Walpole, A. Goodbody, Maximilian W. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd, E. Bass, A. B. Mallinson, Mr. and Mrs. Honan, Master Wright, Lionel Louis Cohen, Herbert T. Cooke, H. R. Howley, Alfred Applestone, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner, Wilfred Pilts, G. Lockett, Mr. and Mrs. Finlay, Captain Colville, Miss Rosemary Vincent, Mrs. Bain, Mrs. Robert Pakenham, Mrs. M'Kidd, Miss M. J. Murphy, Mrs. O'Rorke, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Thrift, Mrs. Cranery, Mrs. Wright, Mrs. Douglas Kinsford, Mrs. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Aylmer, Miss Elaine Cheroutry, Mrs. Fleischaum, Miss Schernots, Mrs. Logan, Mrs. Winder, Miss Callaghan, Miss Healy, Mrs. and Miss Finlay, Mrs. Greenway.

McBirney and Co.'s Silk Buyer has just returned from the Markets with large and beautiful collection of New Silks, suitable for the Season, including charming Evening Goods.

The Mansfield Sisters are on this day and during the week offering their entire Stock of High-class Millinery at clearing prices.—28 Wicklow street.

"Our Boys'" House are at present showing a very large Selection of Boys' and Youths' High-class Clothing and Outfitting of every description at keen-cut prices.—24 Wicklow st.

The Mansfield Sisters are showing at present special value in Wool Golf Coats and Jumpers; also Smart Frocks in Wool Stockinette and Silk Milanese.—28 Wicklow street.

The Mansfield Sisters are at present showing the Latest Furs, in Skunk, Mole, Beaver, etc., made from most reliable skins, at keen-cut prices.—28 Wicklow street.

Gibson and Co., Ladies' Tailors. Specialists in designing and cutting. All models made on the premises. Inspection invited.—141 Lr. Baggot st. Costumes (Tailor-made), from 6½ gns. (out-sizes stocked); Afternoon and Evening Gowns from 7½ gns.; Wrap Coats, in Fleece and Velour Cloth, from 6 guineas.—Davis (late of Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton st.

Mourning Orders executed on the shortest notice.—Davis (late Ogilvy's), 45 Grafton street.

HEAVY GALE IN THE BALTIC.

A Stockholm telegram, dated Friday, states:—The recent heavy gale in the Baltic and North Sea has caused several shipwrecks. The big Swedish Lloyd Company's steamer Campania, 1,554 tons, has since Tuesday been aground on a reef off Stockholm, and it is impossible to reach her on account of the high seas. On Thursday morning the steamer Atle Jarl, believed to be a German vessel, sank off the island of Oeland, but the crew were saved. The Norwegian steamer Marne also sank a few days ago in the Kattegat, the crew being safely landed at Helsingfors. The Swedish schooner Frode on Thursday was wrecked not far from Norrkoeping. The crew were saved, but the ship's cook was frozen to death.

INCORPORATED LAW SOCIETY.

The report of the Incorporated Law Society, to be submitted to the half-yearly meeting on Wednesday next, states that during the war one hundred and fifty-five Irish solicitors and eighty-three apprentices joined His Majesty's Forces, and that of this number twenty solicitors and eighteen apprentices lost their lives. The number of members of the Society for the current year is 810, as against 817 in the previous year.

DUBLIN ENGINEERS' WAGES.

In the case submitted to the Court of Arbitration by the Engineering Employers' Federation, the Amalgamated Society of Engineers, the Steam Engine Makers' Society, and the Society of Amalgamated Toolmakers, Engineers, and Machinists, that the rate paid in Dublin should be the same as that paid in Belfast, the award of the Court is that the claim is not one that can be conceded.

THE MORAVIAN CHURCH.

A large congregation was present at the Moravian Church, Lower Kevin street, Dublin, yesterday morning, when a special Service was held in connection with the foreign missions of the Church. These are carried on in Africa, Australia, Thibet, Labrador, Alaska, California, Surinam, Demerara, Nicaragua, and the West Indies. The work in the various fields was described by the preacher, Bishop Ward, who also referred to the difficulties experienced by the missionaries in recent years owing to the war, and emphasised the need for more workers and for increased support for the work. The collection was in aid of the missions.

WEXFORD CORN STORES GUTTED.

The corn stores of Mr. Laurence McCarthy at Commercial quay, Wexford, were completely destroyed by fire on Sunday afternoon. About seven thousand barrels of oats and 500 barrels of barley, as well as a quantity of machinery, including a gas engine and oat-clipper, were burned. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Insurance at low rates with Phœnix Assurance Co., Ltd., 10-12 Trinity street, Dublin.—J. R. Warner, Manager. Agents everywhere.—(Advt.)

OLD FALSE TEETH.
Highest prices paid for Old False Teeth, Old Gold, Silver, Diamonds, Jewellery. Country parcels receive special attention.
ORGEL & CO., 35 NASSAU ST., DUBLIN
(Next Elvery's, one door from Dawson street).

GOLF.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY v. WORPLESDON.

Oxford University visited Worplesdon on Saturday and were beaten in a ten-aside match by five games to four, with one game halved. The conditions were good, and some excellent play was witnessed. The best form of the day was that displayed by R. H. Wethered, the Oxford captain, who opposed Bernard Darwin in the second match. Wethered might have been more than one up on the engagement at the turn had he not shown weakness in his wooden club play on the outward half. Going home, however, the Dark Blue captain played great golf, and simply overwhelmed Darwin. He had the eleventh, twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth, and fifteenth holes in 3, 5, 4, 2, and 4 respectively, which indicated masterly golf. The match ended on the fifteenth green, where Darwin was beaten by 5 and 4. Tolley, who led Oxford in the top match against Montmorency, the English internationalist, was all square at the turn. Homeward the latter played the finer golf, and won easily by 4 and 3.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY v. ROYAL WORLINGTON AND NEWMARKET.

Cambridge University defeated Royal Worlington and Newmarket on the latter club's nine-hole course at Mildenhall on Saturday, over singles and foursomes, by twelve matches to six. The feature of the day's play was the fine form of J. H. S. Cannon, who defeated C. P. Johnstone, the Cambridge captain, by 9 up and 7 to play. Cannon, who is a plus 4 player, was seven up at the turn. He did the first nine holes in 33 and the second nine in 37, making a total of 70 for the double round. This score created a new record for the course.

SUTTON.—St. Andrew's Cup. Result:—In the semi-final Campbell (18) beat Pentony (14), 2 up; Ryan (18) beat Patterson (14), 3 and 2. Final—Campbell beat Ryan, 4 and 2.

KINGSTOWN.—Result of Men's Foursomes Sweepstake.—C. H. Redhead and W. McComas, 2 down.

KINGSTOWN v. CASTLE (I.L.G.U. League match) resulted in a win for Castle by 4 matches to 1.

MILLTOWN v. CASTLE (Ladies) resulted in a win for Castle by 6 matches to 1.

HOCKEY.

SATURDAY'S SENIOR MATCHES.

ROYAL HIBERNIANS, 4; DUBLIN UNIVERSITY, 2.

Considerable interest was taken in the meeting of these teams in the College Park, and the spectators were treated to an interesting, open game, the play at times being brilliant. The ground was fast, and cut up badly after a while, but the 'Varsity were not so hampered in this respect as the visitors, who often broke down by the ball sticking in the mud. In the opening minutes of the game Carter got well away on the left, and passed back to Cork, who beat Gaynor with a great drive. After this early reverse University took up the running, and, following a corner, a *melee* in the Hibernians' goal-mouth took place, out of which Mahony netted. Varian soon afterwards got through to put 'Varsity ahead with a great cross shot. Hibernians strove hard to get level before the interval, but were astray with their shots. Hibernians attacked on resuming, and Parslow capped a good run from half-way by equalising from close range. In the next minute Kirkwood sent out to Redmond, who promptly netted with a fine, clean drive, giving Hibernians the lead. Kirkwood subsequently added another score from a penalty corner. Except for a few spasmodic rushes Hibernians held the balance of play, and won deservedly. Teams:—

Dublin University—G. A. Gaynor; A. E. Phillips, J. M. Corbett; H. W. Strong, R. E. Murphy (capt.), S. W. P. Boyd; H. W. Eyre, W. A. Taylor, R. W. Varian, J. F. Mahony, C. G. Ronan.

Royal Hibernians—T. Pike; H. Long, E. Owen; J. Le Grys, E. M'Donnell, A. Eccleston; J. Redmond, T. Parslow, H. Kirkwood, M. H. Cork (capt.), R. Carter.

Umpires—Messrs. W. F. M'Donnell and J. S. M'Mahon.

THREE ROCK ROVERS, 4; DUBLIN GARRISON, 0

Garrison had only a couple of their usual side out, but were able to secure some excellent substitutes, and quite a first-class exhibition of the game was witnessed at Foxrock. Accurate stick work predominated and clever movements punctuated the game throughout. Rovers had most of the play during the first half, but excellent work by the opposing defence kept them at bay. Pilkington notched the only goal of this period. Rovers still held the upper hand on resuming, and H. O'Reilly got through to score cleverly. G. O'Reilly added another goal shortly afterwards, and before the finish H. O'Reilly scored again with a well taken shot, leaving Rovers easy winners of a fast, open game. Teams:—

Three Rock Rovers—E. M. Dillon; G. C. Pilkington, R. S. Wix; H. O. Hall, Major Hill, C. Le Fanu; E. Tyndall, H. O'Reilly, G. O'Reilly, J. S. Manley, T. O'Connor.

Garrison—Capt. Blackburn; Col. Pratt, Sergt. Williams; Sergt. Cooper, Capt. Stokes Roberts, Capt. Holden; Major Murell, C.-S. Barlton, Capt. Rewcastle, Lt. Pole Fletcher, Sergt. Eden.

Umpires—Messrs. D. J. Coulter and H. Sibbald.

MONKSTOWN, 2; NAAS, 1.

The meeting of these teams produced a vigorous game at Park avenue. Monkstown pressed hard at the start, but it was not until after fifteen minutes' play that W. Morrison scored off a corner. This reverse made Naas play up, and soon B. Semmence equalised. Morrison should have put Monkstown ahead just on the interval from a neat pass by M'Ilveen, but shot wide. Play ruled even after the resumption, and then Monkstown pressed strongly, but failed to score. At length Pearson scored what proved to be the winning goal, a poor close game ending in a win for Monkstown. Teams:—

Monkstown—W. Jermyn; A. E. Evans, G. L. Orr (capt.); A. Aceson, J. L. Murdock, G. Darcus; J. Morrison, A. Pearson, D. Rowlands, S. M'Ilveen, W. Morrison.

Naas—W. M'Cormack; J. Purcell, W. Hickey; J. Odlum, B. Semmence (capt.), F. Kerry; J. Walsh, N. Mangan, J. Robinson, B. Semmence, J. F. Cox.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

SENIOR LEAGUE.—Royal Hibernians 4, Dublin University 2; Monkstown 2, Naas 1; Three Rock Rovers 4, Garrison 0.

MIDDLE LEAGUE A.—Naas 2nd 5, Monkstown 2nd 1; Avoca School 4, Railway Union 2nd 2; Clontarf 1st 3, Three Rock Rovers 2nd 1; Royal Hibernians 2nd 2, Dublin University 2nd 1.

MIDDLE LEAGUE B.—Dublin University 3rd 9, Railway Union 3rd 0; Monkstown 3rd 6, Wilts 5; Y.M.C.A. w.o., Clontarf 2nd scratched.

JUNIOR LEAGUE.—Kingstown G. School 10, Clontarf 3rd 0; Royal Hibernians 3rd 1, Zion 0; Bohemians 3rd w.o., Dublin University 3rd A scratched; National Bank 7, Clontarf 3rd A 0; Monkstown 3rd 1, College of Science 2nd 1.

LADIES' SENIOR LEAGUE.—Monkstown 5, National University 3.

LADIES' MIDDLE LEAGUE.—Alexandra College 7, Rathgar 0.

LADIES' JUNIOR LEAGUE.—Maids of the Mountain 1, Triginta 0.

Monkstown H.C. (Ladies).—Special B practice to-day, Park avenue, 3 o'clock.

BILLIARDS.

SMITH v. FALKINER.

As was foreshadowed by the state in which this match of 8,000 up at Leicester square, London, was left on Friday, Smith won easily on Saturday. Throughout, he played consistently well, and generally made more of his chances than his rival. During the final stages his best breaks produced 261 (full), 170, 122, 228, and 255, against Falkiner's highest runs of 107, 140, 150, 137, and 99. Final scores:—

Smith	8,000
Falkiner	6,443

STEVENSON v. REECE.

When the half-way stage of this match in the Victory Tournament at Burroughes' Hall, Piccadilly, was reached on Saturday night, Reece, who received 1,500 start, against Stevenson's 500, was leading by 1,724 points. Stevenson, returning to his true form, played excellent billiards on Saturday, and made up a lot of lost ground during the day. He only carried his unfinished break of 544 to 565, and his other breaks over three figures were 133, 137, 106, 217, and 343, while Reece, also playing well, was responsible for runs of 343, 178, 94. At the close of the day the scores were:—

Reece (in play)	8,632
Stevenson	6,908

ATHLETICS AND CYCLING.

CROSS-COUNTRY RUNNING.

HONORE HARRIERS.—Two packs turned out on Saturday. T. Howley and T. Millington laid a trail, which crossed the canal at the 2nd lock, Inchicore, and led into the Lansdowne Valley, by the "green hills" for home, *via* Crumlin. All flat country was run over, and the going was fast. T. Bolton had charge of the slow pack, with T. Conneff as whip. The fast lot was led by H. B. Gunn, whipping-in being done by P. Byrne. Twenty runners turned out. Distance—seven miles. Next Saturday—Meet at Nelson's Pillar, at 3 o'clock, for Clonliffe invitation.

RESCUE AT ALEXANDRA WHARF.—Yesterday evening at the Alexandra Wharf, Dublin, a sailing boat, the property of Mr. Peter Murphy, of Ringsend, was overturned by the strong wind blowing, but the occupants succeeded in hanging on until they were rescued. One of them, Michael Sullivan, of 92 Park Cottages, Ringsend, was taken in the Corporation ambulance to Jervis street Hospital, suffering from the effects of his immersion.

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COLLEGE CLASSICAL SOCIETY.

SPAIN UNDER VESPASIAN.

At the opening meeting last Friday evening of the session 1919-20 of the College Classical Society, held in the Graduates' Hall, Trinity College, Professor R. Knox McElderry, of Galway College, read a paper on Vespasian's Reconstruction of Spain.

Dr. Louis C. Purser, LL.D. (President of the Society), who occupied the chair, mentioned that that was the first meeting of the College Classical Association since 1914, and he wished to express their regret at the deaths, since their last meeting, of two very particular members of the Association—viz., Mr. Tyrrell, who was an old president, and whose name was known all over the world, and one of the founders of the Association, and Professor Beare, who was carried off in the epidemic of last year.

Professor McElderry said that it would be difficult to draw a picture of Vespasian's reign that would be free from conjecture, because the chief sources of information, namely, the histories of Tacitus, were almost completely lost, and they had to depend upon secondary and fragmentary authorities, and particularly on the evidence of inscriptions. If Vespasian was the second founder of the Roman Empire—and in many ways he deserved the name—he nowhere earned the title more fairly than in Spain. There was no reason to doubt that St. Paul carried out his recorded intention to visit Spain after his first trial at Rome—an intention fully in keeping with his fixed policy of special attention for the Roman world of which Spain was an important part. It was strange that no fully trustworthy local or ecclesiastical tradition of that visit remained. There is a much stronger tradition that St. James preached in Spain, and that his body was afterwards miraculously transmitted over sea from Judæa to Iria Flavia, a foundation of Vespasian's in Collaecia, and was later transferred to the famous shrine of Santiago de Compostella, of which tale even the first part can hardly be accepted as historical. Yet Christianity did spread rapidly in Spain, as Tertullian shows. In any case, it is hardly probable that the Flavian Emperors were much influenced by hostility to Christianity in their development of imperial worship. That their policy was quite deliberate is shown by Vespasian's foundation of the Arae Flaviae as a centre of the worship in the newly-annexed territory beyond the Rhine a few years later. Having described the military establishments of the time, and the franchise system and the municipal government, the lecturer, in conclusion, said that though the agriculture of the country was important, it was rather to its mines that Vespasian looked for a great increase of revenue. What Peru and Mexico were to mediæval Spain, Spain herself was to the Roman world, an unfailing treasure house. The lecturer referred at length to the development of mining of iron, copper, silver, and lead, and to the facilities created in the way of opening up of great roads for transit to Gaul.

Professor Alison Phillips, proposing a vote of thanks, said that, while he could not pretend to anything like a competency to criticise the paper, he confessed that there was one point towards the end that deeply interested him. Professor McElderry had commented on the extraordinary and beneficent management of the mines of Spain, or, rather, on the laws which existed with regard to the management of those mines. He had given them to understand that the most careful precautions had been taken for the welfare of the workers. What he told them would lead them to suppose that under the Pagan law of Vespasian the workers in the mines were more humanely treated than in the mediæval days of Christian Spain. He (the speaker) thought that the student of history was too often led astray in his conclusions drawn from laws. When in South America some years ago he found that the lives of the workers in the Republics there were a horror. Although they were nominally free men, they were not actually so, but were kept in a sort of slavery through the ingenious system by which they were kept constantly in debt to their masters. If they were to judge of the lives of those miners by the laws of the South American Republics, they would imagine that they were living under ideal conditions.

Professor P. Semple, seconding, expressed his appreciation of the lecture, and said that it shed valuable light on many phases of Roman government and civilisation, of which their knowledge, so far, was only limited.

The Auditor (Mr. W. H. B. Mack), on behalf of the Society, welcomed Dr. Purser on that his first occasion since his election as president.

IRISH PUBLIC RECORDS.

THE FRENCH HUGUENOT SETTLEMENT.

The 51st report of the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records and Keeper of the State Papers in Ireland was issued on Friday.

The report contains several features of more than usual interest. A Filacers Judgment Roll, Court of Common Pleas, was discovered quite recently in the Haliday collection of the Royal Irish Academy, and the Council, with commendable public spirit, decided to present it to this office. It was deposited here under warrant of the Master of the Rolls, dated 3rd December, 1918, and it was then restored to its place in the series of Filacers Judgment Rolls, Court of Common Pleas, 1714—1850, which had been transferred to this office from the Court of Common Pleas in the year 1870. The roll had been improperly removed from the Court before 1870, and had remained for many years out of its proper legal custody, to which it has now been returned.

A valuable collection of books of account, etc., of the French Huguenot churches (non-Conformed), of Wood street, Lucy lane, and Peter street, Dublin, has been deposited here by the Governor of the Bank of Ireland under the 16th section of the Public Records (Ireland) Act. The Huguenots began to settle in Ireland soon after the Revolution, and the early Dublin settlers conformed to a considerable extent to the Canons of the Church of Ireland, and became subject to the Archbishop of Dublin. The Elders of the French Huguenot (Conformed) Churches of St. Patrick and St. Mary, Dublin, deposited here in the year 1893 a series of baptismal, burial and marriage registers for these churches; a Consistorial Act Book, 1692—1716, was presented by Mr. Christopher Digges La Touche in 1889, and a small, but valuable, collection of books was presented by the trustees of the French Huguenot Fund in 1904. Another group commenced to settle in Dublin soon after the Williamite Revolution. The congregations forming this group would not conform. They adhered to the Huguenot form of worship and discipline existing on the Continent, and they raised and attended the (non-Conformed) churches of Wood street, Lucy lane, and Peter street. A collection of the books of these churches was deposited here by the Official Assignee, acting under an order of the Judge of the Court of Bankruptcy, dated 20th November, 1895, and a cash book, 1692—7, was presented by the executrix of Dr. J. J. Digges La Touche in 1907. The books now deposited by the Governor of the Bank of Ireland, forming the second collection for the non-Conformed churches, are written in the French language, and furnish interesting information concerning the property, church management, and sustentation charities, etc., of these congregations from 1692 to 1780.

During the year the records of the Dioceses of Dublin and Glendalough, Clonfert and Macduagh, Limerick, Ardfert and Aghadoe, and Killaloe and Kilfenora, together with the portions of the Dioceses of Cork, Cloyne, and Ross, Cashel and Emly, and Waterford and Lismore, remaining over from the previous year, were examined and arranged. In this process the contents of 269 bundles were put in order, and sometimes by parishes.

PRESENTATION TO MR. AND MRS. E. C. BUCKLEY.

A well-attended meeting was held in the Rathmines Young Men's Christian Association Hall on Thursday evening for the purpose of making a presentation to Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Buckley. Mr. Buckley, having been hon. secretary of the Association for upwards of seventeen years, his many friends and well-wishers desired to show to him and Mrs. Buckley their appreciation of their invaluable services, especially in connection with work amongst soldiers during the years of the war.

Mr. Charles G. Warner, J.P. (Vice-President), presided. Mr. J. Newburgh Tisdall (Hon. Treasurer) read letters of apology from Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas W. Thompson, President of the Association; Sir William Fry, Messrs. T. J. Aimers, Jackson D. Bogue, Richard Hinde, and William Perrin.

Mrs. Duckett, Trustee and President of the Ladies' Auxiliary, made the presentation. She said that Mr. and Mrs. Buckley had set a high example to all present. Mrs. Duckett then presented the gifts, which were a very handsome inlaid drawing-room cabinet and an electric reading lamp.

Mr. Buckley thanked his friends for their gifts and the many kind things that had been said about Mrs. Buckley and himself. Whatever they had been able to do could not have been done but for the loyal help and kind co-operation of their good friend Mrs. Duckett and a devoted band of 120 ladies and gentlemen.

Mrs. Buckley also expressed her thanks in an appropriate little speech.

A vote of thanks to Mr. C. G. Warner for presiding and to Mrs. Duckett for having made the presentation concluded the proceedings.

The funeral of Mrs. Alma Vecera Steane, whose tragic death occurred on November 12th, took place on Saturday privately outside London. The delay had been due to religious difficulties.

ULSTER TEACHERS' UNION.

A NEW ORGANISATION.

A meeting of principal and assistant national school teachers was held in Belfast on Saturday to form a branch of a new teachers' organisation—the Ulster National Teachers' Union.

Mr. J. A. Gregg presided, and Mr. J. C. Thompson acted as secretary *pro tem.*

In explaining the objects of the meeting, the Chairman emphasised the fact that in forming a branch of the Ulster Teachers' Union they were not entering into opposition to any particular union, but they felt that there should be some union of all teachers in Ulster able to speak in the very near future on changes that are likely to take place in the government of Ireland. Such a body would not be either the Principal Teachers' Union or the Assistant Teachers' Union, and for that reason the Ulster Teachers' Union had been called into being.

Mr. J. Smyth, B.A., B.Sc., secretary and treasurer of the Ulster National Teachers' Union, reviewed the reasons which led to the formation of such a body. The trouble arose from the affiliation of the I.N.T.O. with the Irish Trades Congress. They in Ulster objected to that affiliation, because they could not approve of the political aims and aspirations of the Irish Trades Congress. This Congress demanded that the Army of Occupation should be withdrawn, self-determination for Ireland, the overthrow of the capitalist system, and the establishment of syndicalism. Its ideal form of government was the Russian Soviet, and, in fact, they all knew that it sympathised with every movement of a revolutionary nature for the upsetting of the constituted Government of the country. No loyal teacher could remain in that body, for the I.N.T.O. was a constituent part of the Irish Trades Congress, and their funds had been used to further its policy. That being so, the loyal teachers had either to secede from the I.N.T.O. or the I.N.T.O. had to secede from the Irish Trades Congress. They from Ulster had tried to persuade the I.N.T.O. to disconnect themselves from the Irish Trades Congress, and they had even gone so far as to suggest that the teachers should retire during the discussion of political matters by the Congress, but both of these requests were refused, and there was, therefore, nothing for them but to leave the I.N.T.O. Continuing, Mr. Smyth recalled the parallel of the formation of the General Council of Irish County Councils, from which the loyal Councils of Ulster had been forced to secede for "very similar reasons." He denied that the disunion was caused by them. It had in reality been caused by those who had changed the character of the I.N.T.O. by associating it with a body with such violent political tendencies. Any teacher who approved of Bolshevism, Sinn Fein, and other revolutionary aims his place was in the I.N.T.O., but any teacher who could not approve of such methods was invited to join the Ulster Union.

Mr. Isaac McLaughlin, B.A., president of the Ulster National Teachers' Union, said that, though the union had been formed outside Belfast, they always felt that without the support of Belfast and of the loyal teachers who worked in the city their union would not be complete. In the course of an interesting address, he showed how the hands of the I.N.T.O. were tied by the Roman Catholic Hierarchy in connection with the demand for rate aid for education. The hands of the Ulster Union were free, and they intended to keep them free to agitate for any and every aid that might be necessary to put education on a satisfactory basis in this country.

The Chairman proposed, and Mr. W. H. Scott seconded, that a branch of the Ulster National Teachers' Union be formed in Belfast.

On being put to the meeting, the motion was passed unanimously.

THE FIRST OFFICIALS.

The following officials were appointed:—Chairman, Mr. J. A. Gregg; secretary, Mr. J. C. Thompson; treasurer, Mr. W. H. Scott; committee, Miss Larmour (St. James's), Miss McCutcheon, Messrs. J. J. Quay (St. Enoch's), S. McCambley, T. McLaughlin, and D. Campbell.

CHEMICAL DEVELOPMENT.

LECTURE BY MR. A. O'FARRELLY.

The opening meeting of the Scientific and Debating Society of the Royal College of Science for Ireland was held in the College, Dublin, on Saturday evening, the chair being occupied by the Dean, Professor H. H. Jeffcott, B.A.I. There was a large attendance.

Mr. O'Farrelly, M.A., F.I.C., gave a lecture on "Some Chapters in Chemical Development." The lecture began with an illustration of the action of two gases on one another with the production of a new substance, and it was pointed out how the explanation of a simple experiment like this involved the fundamental ideas underlying modern chemistry. The problems to be solved by the chemist included the investigation of the various methods by which a substance can be obtained, and the devising of new methods to prepare new substances, and the exact study of their properties. They were also studied from the utilitarian standpoint, and it was noted if they had properties rendering them useful to the engineer, agriculturist, medical doctor, dyer. Sir Humphry Davy's simple experiment on the production of metals by the electric current, and Moissan's simple electric furnace, were developed into processes for obtaining metals such as aluminium, and other valuable products as calcium carbide, carborundum, and various fertilisers for the soil, by utilising electric current cheaply produced by water-power. The production of nitro-glycerine from glycerine, formerly a waste product in the soap industry, led also to remarkable results. Other explosive substances, such as gun-cotton, picric acid, T.N.T., and tetryl, were afterwards produced. The methods for obtaining such substances were indicated, and their utility in quarrying, tunnelling, and mining pointed out. Sir William Perkin's preparation of the first synthetic dye in 1856 foreshadowed an industry which had attained immense importance, and in which waste products of little value were transformed by the chemist's art into valuable dyes of every conceivable shade of colour.

The lecture was illustrated by lantern slides and experiments which exemplified the mode of preparing some dyes and applying them to fabrics.

An interesting musical programme followed. Songs were acceptably rendered by Miss L. McElnay, Miss McHutchinson, Mr. R. V. Jackson, Mr. B. O'Sullivan, and Mr. T. J. Morris. Mr. G. A. Richardson was responsible for some excellent recitations, and Miss A. Bell, Miss D. Alton, and Mr. C. Kiernan supplied several trios, which were much appreciated, as was the duet by Messrs. Power and O'Grady. Mr. R. V. Jackson was an efficient accompanist.

DIOCESAN SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRIZES.

The annual distribution of prizes at the Diocesan Intermediate and Commercial School for Girls, Adelaide road, Dublin, was held last Friday evening, the Archbishop of Dublin presiding.

The report for the year ended 30th June last, which was read by the Principal, Miss Foster, disclosed a satisfactory state of affairs. It was mentioned that the 108 members of the War Savings Association had £207 invested.

Mr. C. W. Stubbs, M.A., manager of the school, paid a tribute to the work done by the staff during the year.

The prizes were then distributed by the Archbishop. At the conclusion His Grace said that he wanted to congratulate them on the results achieved. He was delighted that the school maintained such a splendid position amongst the Intermediate schools in Dublin. Having referred to his early associations with St. Matthias' Church, and that building which was now the school, the Archbishop said he desired especially to congratulate the Bishop of Clogher, who was the founder of the school. He told the pupils that they went to school to learn what was true, to love what was beautiful, and to do what was good, and he exhorted them to uphold those aims all through life. (Applause).

The Bishop of Clogher proposed a vote of thanks to the Archbishop for presiding and distributing the prizes.

The motion was seconded by Rev. A. E. Hughes, and carried with acclamation.

A musical programme followed.

IRISH RECONSTRUCTION.

The Joint Council of Executive Professions (Irish Reconstruction) met on Wednesday at 35 Dawson street, Dublin. There were present:—Messrs. W. Kaye-Parry, in the chair; F. Bergin, J. F. Burkitt, R. H. Dorman, S. G. Gallagher, G. M. Harriss, A. E. Porte, Thomas Tomlinson, and J. T. Jackson, hon. secretary.

The Ministry of Transport Act was considered, and after full discussion a resolution was adopted which the secretary was instructed to communicate to the proper authorities.

After transaction of routine business, the Council adjourned.

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The wave of unrest that has arisen is largely due to high prices, and particularly that of fresh milk at 11d. and 1/- a quart (to which it has been raised from the 8d. per quart charged during the summer). Since 1st November, although it contains a quart of fresh milk, Nestlé's has only been increased a halfpenny per tin, to meet the increased cost of sugar, and the price of "Ideal" has not been changed at all.

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PROFESSIONAL CIVIL SERVANTS.

New Irish Institution.

A meeting was held on Friday last in the Library of the Institution of Civil Engineers of Ireland, Dawson street, Dublin, at which it was decided to form an Institution of Professional Civil Servants for Ireland, similar to the Society founded in London in January last. Mr. H. Allberry, A.R.I.B.A., Office of Public Works, Ireland, was elected to the chair. There was a large attendance, including members of the professional staffs of the following departments:—Local Government Board, Board of Public Works, Congested Districts Board, Irish Land Commission, Department of Agriculture, General Valuation Office, Land Registry Office, Post Office, Inland Revenue (Solicitor's Department), National Education Office, Chief Crown Solicitor's Department, etc.

The Chairman stated that for many years past the necessity for some society which would weld together the various professional staffs in the Civil Service had been apparent. Their clerical colleagues had formed large and powerful associations, by means of which grievances had been adjusted, but the professional officials had looked on and taken no action. Whatever one's personal views might be, the formation of Departmental Whitley Councils had now rendered it imperative for a professional institution to be created at once, in order to secure the adequate representation of the skilled technical staffs on the National Whitley Council in Great Britain or in Ireland, should, as he hoped, such an Irish Council be formed.

Several representatives asked for information as to the qualifications for membership, and the relations that would exist between the Irish Institution and that of Great Britain. The Honorary Secretary pointed out that many of the useful points raised would have to be dealt with by the Drafting Committee. The proposals of this Committee, embodied in a draft constitution, would be submitted to a general meeting, which, it was hoped, would be held at the latest before the end of January.

A committee was elected to draft the bye-laws and to submit them to a general meeting. On the motion of Mr. William Paton, seconded by Mr. H. G. Leaske, Messrs. W. Power Steele, B.E., F.S.I.; H. Allberry, A.R.I.B.A.; L. G. Banton, P.A.S.I., and J. Yeates, M.A., were elected to represent the Institution on the forthcoming joint conference of heads of departments and representatives of departmental associations.

A vote of thanks was unanimously accorded the Institution of Civil Engineers of Ireland for the use of their library.

DUBLIN HOSPITAL SUNDAY.

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Wicklow Parish Church	10	10	2
Monkstown Parish Church	82	15	0
Centenary Methodist Church, St. Stephen's Green	37	12	0
Tullamore and Lynally Churches	8	2	0
Killiney Parish Church	52	0	0
Killeagh and Mountnugent Churches (Diocese of Meath)	14	4	0
St. Kieran's Church, Duleek (Co. Meath)	15	1	6
Kingstown Methodist Church	13	2	0
Athy, Kilberry Church	23	0	0
Blessington and Kilbride	14	0	0
Kells	24	16	1
Balrathboyne	9	12	0
St. Finian's, Newcastle	6	4	9
Union of Rathdowney Churches	10	0	0
Skryne	11	14	1
Tara Church	3	10	0
Donganstown and Redcross Church	7	1	6
Donaghpatrick Church	38	0	0
Kilshine Church	13	7	2

IRISH PUBLIC HEALTH COUNCIL.

The fourth meeting of the Irish Public Health Council was held at the offices of the Minister of Health for Ireland, on Wednesday, 19th November, the Chairman presiding. The following members were present—Mrs. McMordie, Sir Henry A. Robinson, P.C., K.C.B.; Rev. P. Kerlin, Sir Joseph A. Glynn, Dr. W. J. Maguire, Mr. J. Ewing Johnston, M.B.E., M.R.C.V.S.; Dr. R. J. Rowlette, Sir William J. Thompson, Dr. Alice Barry, Dr. Stephenson, Sir John W. Moore, Mrs. H. L. Dickie, and Mr. E. Bourke, C.B. Major Geo. Harris, D.S.O., Secretary, and Dr. Hennessey were in attendance.

The Chairman drew attention to the Nurses Registration Bill for England, which had been read in the House of Commons the second time on Tuesday, 18th instant, and stated that he had been in communication with the Minister of Health for Ireland and the English Ministry of Health on the subject of a similar bill for Ireland. He promised to circulate to each member of the Council a copy of the Irish bill as soon as it was printed.

The Council then considered the business on the agenda in regard to the formulation of an improved scheme of health administration for Ireland.

Further consideration of the matter was adjourned until the next meeting of the Council, to be held on Tuesday, 9th December, 1919.

A meeting of the Committee of the Council, which is engaged upon the consideration of regulations under the Public Health (Medical Treatment of Children) (Ireland) Act, took place on Wednesday, 19th November, at 11.15 a.m. The Committee received representatives from school managers' and teachers' associations, and considered the suggestions made by them in regard to the administration of the Act. A further meeting of the Committee will be held on Wednesday, 10th December next.

COMING EVENTS.

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS MEMORIAL COMMITTEE.—A meeting of the R.A.M.C. Memorial Committee will be held to-morrow at 4.30 p.m. in the Examination Hall of the Royal College of Surgeons, St. Stephen's Green.

"THE BOOKS OF SIR PATRICK DUN."—A paper on this subject will be read by Dr. T. Percy C. Kirkpatrick at the visit this evening of the Bibliographical Society of Ireland to the Library of the Royal College of Physicians, Kildare street.

TRINITY THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.—A meeting will be held in the Debating Hall, Graduates Memorial Building, this evening at 8. Mr. F. W. Synnott will read a paper on "The Position of Women in the Church." Special speakers:—Messrs. A. O. C. Irwin (Sch Sen.Mod.), B.A.; R. A. Mollan, B.A.; W. G. J. Dawson, W. Binett.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSOCIATION.—The weekly literary meeting will be held this evening in the rooms, 25 Grafton street, Dublin, when an address will be given by the Rev. J. G. Paton, M.C., M.A., B.D., of Coleraine. Subject—"The Message of the Modern Pulpit." The chair will be taken by the Vice-President, Rev. H. P. Glenn, B.A., at 8 o'clock.

NATIONAL LITERARY SOCIETY.—The inaugural lecture of the National Literary Society will be delivered by Dr. George Sigerson, President, this evening, at 8.30 o'clock, in the new rooms of the Society, at 7 Ely place. Subject—"Edmund Spenser's Irish Wife and her Descendants." A business meeting of the Society will be held before the lecture at 7.30 o'clock.

ORGAN RECITAL IN ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.—The organ recital arranged for to-morrow night at 8 o'clock in St. Luke's Church, Dublin, promises to be a very interesting one. Mr. William E. Hopkins, Sub-Organist, St. Patrick's Cathedral, will be at the organ, and the soloists will be Miss May Kirk; Mr. J. R. Morgan (Vicar Choral of St. Patrick's); Mr. T. F. Marchant (Vicar Choral of St. Patrick's), and Mr. John Gill (Solo Tenor, Christ Church Cathedral). A feature of the performance will be the beautiful trio, "I was Glad" (Purcell), sung by Messrs. Morgan, Gill, and Marchant, and the quartet, "Thou shalt bring them in" (Sullivan).

THE SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTS AND IRISH HOUSING SCHEMES.

An order of the Housing Department of the Local Government Board for Ireland was recently issued with respect to the employment of architects by local authorities for the purpose of housing schemes under the Act, which provides for the Royal Institute of British Architects or the Royal Institute of Architects, Ireland. As such an order, if not extended, would have debarred from this panel those members of the architectural profession who are not members of either one of the institutions named, the Society of Architects for Ireland has now agreed that all members of the Society practising in Ireland may make application to be included in the panel. The names of several members of the Society, who would have been disqualified under the order as it stands, have already been added to the panel.

The Society holds the view that public architectural appointments should be open to all architects possessing the required professional qualifications, seeing that no existing architectural body has the monopoly of such members of the profession on its registers.

THE CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The Archbishop of Dublin has appointed the Rev. Chancellor Hemphill, D.D.; the Rev. R. H. Murray, Litt.D., and the Rev. E. J. Young, B.D., to be his examining chaplains, in addition to the respective Archdeacons. His Grace proposes to hold an Ordination in Advent.

The Rev. W. J. Parr, curate of Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, has been appointed to the vacant curacy of St. Peter's Parish.

The curacy of Santry and Glasnevin will shortly become vacant by the resignation of the Rev. G. E. Stevenson.

DOLPHIN'S BARN METHODIST CHURCH.

A sale of work was opened on Friday in St. Andrew's Schools, Rialto, in aid of Dolphin's Barn Methodist Church. The sale was organised by the Ladies' Sewing Committee and fellow members of the church, of which Miss Carson was president; Mrs. Perrit and Mrs. Linkie, vice-presidents; Mrs. Booth, secretary, and Miss Hunter, treasurer. At the opening ceremony there was a large attendance, which was presided over by Mr. J. L. Fitz-Henry. Mrs. William McCormack, Monkstown, opened the sale.

Excellent business was done during the evening, the heavily-laden stalls being well patronised.

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Saturday evening a woman named Mary M'Killop, of Chapel street, Malahide, died in Mercer's Hospital as the result of injuries received while working in Messrs. Smyth and Co.'s sack factory in Hawkins street, where she was employed.

BETTING RAID ON KINGSTOWN PUBLIC-HOUSE.—The publichouse, 70 Lower George's street, Kingstown, was entered on Saturday by the police on suspicion of betting being carried on there. Inspector Kirwan, Sergeant Fitzgerald (23F), and several constables entered, and found on the premises Herbert Barker, described as a bookmaker, of 48 York road, Kingstown. The police arrested Barker and the publican, James White. In Barker's possession was found a number of betting dockets, cheques, and cash—including gold—amounting to £57. White was released, and Barker, after being charged with using the public-house for betting purposes, was allowed out on bail.

CITY ACCIDENT.—As the result of a collision between a motor cycle and sidecar and a jaunting car at the junction of Curzon street and South Circular road, Dublin, on Saturday night, the driver of the cycle, Benjamin Dwyer, 32 New street, and the passengers, John Fellows, 17 Dromod street, and Thomas Tully, Fitzgerald street, had to be taken in the city ambulance to the Meath Hospital, where the two latter were detained, Fellows suffering from a fractured shoulder and a scalp wound, and Tully from a scalp wound and injuries to his hands. The driver of the horse vehicle was uninjured, but both cars were damaged.

THE ABBEY FAIR.—The Abbey Fair, in aid of the Abbey Presbyterian Church, Rutland square, Dublin, and other Church institutions, which was opened on Friday, was brought to a close on Saturday night, by which time a very substantial sum had been realised. The goods on view at the stalls were of a varied description, and were bought up quickly by the members of the congregation and their friends who were present. The stallholders and their assistants spent a busy afternoon and evening, and their untiring efforts helped in no small degree to make the fair the success that it undoubtedly was.

HURLING IN SACKVILLE STREET.—Sackville street was yesterday reduced to the level of a village common—and without let or hindrance on the part of the authorities—by provincial visitors, armed with hurleys, and who, presumably on their way to the match at Croke Park, Jones's road, got into, or kept in, form by playing a hurling ball from O'Connell Bridge to the Rotunda, and thence onwards. Both footpaths and carriage-ways in Sackville street were made use of to give scope for the hitting of the ball along the thoroughfare mentioned, and church-going people were considered "much in the light of spectators who trespass upon "the playing pitch" of Gaelic games.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

THE DERRY PRINTERS' STRIKE.—For the first time in a hundred years there was no newspaper printed in Derry on Saturday morning. This was in consequence of the strike of printers.

TRALEE IN DARKNESS.—The gas supply in Tralee, which has been very unsatisfactory for some time, failed completely on Thursday night. The failure is attributed to the coal supply giving out.

QUEENSTOWN HOUSING COMPETITION.—The result of the competition promoted by the Queenstown Urban District Council for their proposed housing scheme of 216 houses has been won by Messrs. Donnelly, Moore, Keefe, and Robinson, M.M.S.A., Dublin, and this firm has been appointed to carry out the scheme.

ORDER OF THE NILE FOR BELFAST OFFICER.—Major James Sinclair Ring, 46th Punjabis, Indian Army, has received notification that he had been awarded the Order of the Nile by the Khedive for his work in the Fayoum Expedition. Major Ring is the only son of the late Colonel Ring, R.A.M.C., and Mrs. Ring, 27 Cliftonville road, Belfast.

PROPOSED NEEDLEWORK GUILD IN ROSCOMMON.—At a preliminary meeting in connection with a proposed scheme to form a Needlework Guild in Roscommon, held at the Harrison Hall, Lady Cecilie Goff presided, and gave an interesting exposition of the benefits that would accrue from the formation of such a society. A vote of thanks to Lady Cecilie Goff was proposed by Mrs. Shiel, Kilbegnet, and passed with acclamation.

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3—Ballet, "William Tell" ..... Rossini.
4—Irish Morris ..... Graimer.
5—Serenade Czardas ..... Michiels.
6—Scrivia Valzer ..... Coats.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

DUBLIN WHITE CROSS ASSOCIATION
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THE ANNUAL PUBLIC MEETING
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Will (D.V.) be held in
THE GREGG MEMORIAL HALL,
8 DAWSON STREET,
ON
TO-MORROW (TUESDAY),
AT 8 P.M.,
When the Annual Report will be submitted.
Speakers will include—
Sir WILLIAM FRY, D.L. (Chairman).
His Grace the ARCHBISHOP OF DUBLIN.
Major C. C. de BURGH DALY, R.A.M.C.
And Others.
COLLECTION TOWARDS EXPENSES.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
TECHNICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE.
The TECHNICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE for the COUNTY BOROUGH of DUBLIN invites applications for the following posts arising out of the formation of a NAVIGATION APPRENTICE SCHOOL:—
1) A TEACHER of SCIENCE, who shall also be capable of taking higher classes in the School of Wireless Telegraphy and other Science departments.
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The salary in the case of each of the above posts will be £250 per annum, with War Bonus of £100 per annum.
The person appointed in each case shall give his whole time to the duties of the post. Detailed particulars and conditions of appointment will be forwarded on application.
The appointments will be subject to the approval of the Corporation of Dublin and the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.
The COMMITTEE also require for OFFICE WORK a competent TYPIST and SHORTHAND WRITER (lady) at £2 per week, with War Bonus in addition.
Canvassing for any of the above posts is strictly forbidden, and will disqualify.
Applications, with copies of testimonials, will be received by the undersigned not later than THURSDAY, the 4th DECEMBER, 1919.
L. E. O'CARROLL, Secretary.
Technical Education Committee for the County Borough of Dublin, Offices,
21 Rutland square,
24th November, 1919.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
ESTATES AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.
ABATEMENT OF TAXATION, 1920.
Application for Abatement of Taxes on Dwellings suitable for, and occupied by, artisans or labourers, in respect of the rate commencing 1st April, 1920, and ending March, 1921, will be received by me up to, but not after, 1st FEBRUARY, 1920.
Applications must be made on forms to be obtained at my Office, as under.
By Order,
EDMUND E. STORY,
City Treasurer, Secretary.
Municipal Buildings, City Hall.
24th November, 1919.

RICHMOND DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUM.
NOTICE PUBLISHING TIME AND PLACE OF AUDIT.
Notice is hereby given that the Audit of the Accounts of the above-named Asylum for the financial period ended 30th September, 1919, will be opened in the board-room, Dublin, by Edward F. McCarthy, R.L., Local Government Auditor, on Wednesday, 3rd day of December, 1919, at 10.30 o'clock a.m., and that all persons whose objections to any matter contained in the said Accounts is intended to be heard, The Account will be opened during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the Audit.
Dated this 24th day of November, 1919.
Signed) DANIEL DUGGAN,
Resident Medical Superintendent.

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL OF HOWTH.
THE PRICE OF COAL.
The Urban Council of Howth, under the powers conferred on them by Retail Coal Prices Order, 1917, hereby announce that the following Schedule of Prices has been drawn up by them after consultation with representatives of the coal merchants carrying on business in Howth, and that the maximum prices chargeable for the Sale of Coal by retail for domestic purposes in the Urban District from this date are:—

	Best Selected.	Seconds.	Standard.
Sales of 1 ton or more in bulk or in bags—			
(a) Delivered on the quay side of Howth Harbour per ton.	66/6	65/6	63/6
(b) Delivered over the pier from Howth Harbour per ton.	68/	67/	65/-
Sales of quantities less than one ton by carts or vehicles (per ton)	—	—	4/4
Sales of 2 cwt. or less at kerbside—			
Per cwt.	—	—	3/2
56 lbs.	—	—	1/10
28 "	—	—	1/1
14 "	—	—	0/7
7 "	—	—	0/4

For delivery on 1 ton and 1 ton lots an extra charge of 1/- per ton to be made, also 1/- per ton extra for Booked Orders.
By Order,
JAMES MOORE, Acting Town Clerk.
Council Offices, Howth,
November 19th, 1919.

CAMPBELL COLLEGE WAR MEMORIAL FUND.
A Meeting of the Subscribers and all Friends of the Fund will be held in Thomson's Restaurant, Belfast, TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 25th inst., at 4.30 p.m.
The Designs for the Celtic Cross and Screen in the Central Hall, by Mr. R. Young of Young and MacKenzie, will be submitted to the Meeting for approval.
Per the Committee,
A. B. MITCHELL, Lt.-Col., Chairman.
H. R. WALLIS, } Secretaries.
R. D. WILLIAMS, Hon Secretaries.
R. T. MONTGOMERY, Hon. Treasurer.
13 Donegall square, North,
BELFAST.

THE IRISH ASSOCIATION OF ADVERTISING MEN
will meet the Dublin Industrial Development Association at 8 p.m., Gresham Hotel, To-morrow (TUESDAY), to discuss the Relationship of Advertising to Industry in Ireland. Members please note.

ULSTER FARMERS' UNION.
CO. CAVAN FARMERS' UNION.
The following Meetings have been arranged, to which all Farmers in the District are hereby invited:—
BALLYHAISE, on Monday, 24th inst., at 7 o'clock p.m.
CAVAN TOWN HALL, on Tuesday, 25th inst., at 7 o'clock p.m.
KILLESHANDRA INSTITUTE, same day, at 7 p.m.
LISCONI SCHOOL, Butlin, Wednesday, 26th inst., at 7.
BALLYCONNELL MARKET HOUSE, Thursday, 27th inst., at 7.
D. P. MARTIN, Secretary.

REGISTRATION OF TRADE MARKS (IRELAND) ACT, 1908.
Take Notice that I intend to apply for a Renewal of the Certificate of Registration for the Stephen's Green Club.
O. V. MARTYN,
Honorary Secretary.
22nd November, 1919.

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WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—A deep secondary depression off the South-West of Ireland is moving east, and will cause strong winds, with rain generally.

Ireland.—Winds between S.W. and N.W., strong to a gale, moderating later; squally; dull and rainy, probably fair intervals later; mild.

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN BAR.

To-day.....Morning ..... Evening 0.10
To-morrow .. 0.28 .. .. 0.46

SUNRISE AND SUNSET.

To-day ....Rises ... 8.41 Sets 4.18
To-morrow .. 8.6 .. .. 4.17

LIGHTING-UP TIME ..... 5.18 p.m.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Hippodrome, 6.45 and 8.50 p.m.
Gaiety Theatre—"The Naughty Wife," 7.45 p.m.
Queen's Theatre—"A Mother's Love," 6.30 and 8.30.
Empire Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—6.45 and 8.45 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—4.30 to 10.30 p.m.
Princess Cinema, Rathmines—Continuous.
Carlton Cinema—Continuous.
Grafton Picture House—Continuous.
Pillar Picture House—Continuous.
Sackville Picture House—Continuous.
Kingstown Pavilion—Pictures, 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Kingstown Picture House—3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
Royal Dublin Society—Pianoforte Recital, 4 p.m.
Sketching Club Exhibition—8 Merrion Row.
Rotary Club—Kidd's Restaurant, 1.15.
Bibliographical Society—Paper by Dr. Kirkpatrick, College of Physicians, 8 p.m.

The Irish Times.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1919.

Herr Simon, the German Delegate Plenipotentiary, has left Paris for Berlin, stating that he desires to consult his Government on certain aspects of the Peace Treaty conventions. The Paris Press does not regard the reasons he has given as sufficient, and asks—Are there not in or about the German Government men who would like to cast doubt on the validity of the Peace Treaty on the ground that the American Senate has not ratified the Treaty of Versailles, and to defeat its enforcement in order to prevent the consolidation of the democratic *regime*.

A message from Helsingfors states that General Denikin's Army has broken the Bolshevik front between Orel and Tamboff, annihilating 55,000 Bolsheviks, and that the workmen and peasants are revolting against the Soviet *regime*.

Telegrams from Berlin state that the Germans have evacuated Mitau, and the Iron Division is retreating. Its present position does not appear to be known. The Letts have cut the Mitau-Murajevo railway, and the Lithuanians have occupied Tauroggen.

The departure of the Prince of Wales from New York on Saturday was made the occasion of a cordial send-off, a scene of great enthusiasm being witnessed as the Renown steamed out of the harbour.

Twenty lives have been lost in a fire which broke out yesterday in a dance hall at Ville Platte (Louisiana).

The Executive Committee of the Irish Bank Clerks' Association, at a meeting in Dublin on Sunday, decided that its members should cease work on December 31st in all banks which have not by that date agreed to recognise the Association.

In a notice which it issued on Saturday, the General Prisons Board in Ireland sets out the means which will be taken in future to deal with prisoners who adopt a hunger-strike either to secure their release or to obtain what is known as ameliorative treatment.

The County Clare residence of Colonel Tottenham was raided by armed and masked men on Friday, when arms and ammunition were stolen. Colonel Tottenham offered a spirited resistance to the raiders, but was overpowered.

At Newry on Saturday James Carleton was returned for trial at the Ulster Winter Assizes on a charge of attempting to obtain money from the public by alleged false prefences in the flotation of a shipbuilding and dry dock company at Warrenpoint.

Italy's Dilemma.

The news from Italy is exceedingly grave. The Government is threatened on the one hand by Signor d'Annunzio's virtual declaration of military independence, and on the other by the triumph of Socialism at the General Election. D'Annunzio may be merely a mad poet, but two dangerous facts are patent. His performances imperil the peace of Europe, and hitherto, at any rate, he has done what he liked with the Italian Army and Navy. A message which we print to-day shows that this modern Caligula, not content with the occupation of Fiume, is dreaming of new conquests. Ten days ago he left Fiume suddenly for Zara, in Dalmatia—a town to which the Supreme Council has promised special autonomy—but until yesterday the veil was not lifted from his new adventure. The Italian Government's semi-official statement proves that it is now thoroughly alarmed. D'Annunzio's lawless enterprise was endorsed instantly by the Italian forces at Zara. Admiral Millo, the naval commander, has acknowledged his authority, and he is monarch of all he surveys. It is said that a reign of terror prevails at Zara—that the inhabitants are being insulted, that the poet's levies laugh at the Supreme Council, and that the sinister edict has gone forth that Rome is no longer to be regarded as the seat of Italian authority. D'Annunzio's ambitions do not end at Zara. He contemplates the immediate occupation of Spalato and other Dalmatian towns. He proposes also to be the saviour of Montenegro—an act of piracy which would bring the war-worn Serbians immediately into the battle-field. The semi-official statement conveys even more serious hints of mischief. There are rumours of a plot in Northern Italy which, we gather, is levelled against the throne itself. In the meanwhile the central Government is unable, or afraid, to take strong action. It has accepted Admiral Millo's excuse that he submitted to d'Annunzio in order to avoid disorders, and is keeping him in his post at Zara.

The Government's embarrassments result not only from the attitude of the Army and Navy, but from the outcome of the General Election. In the South the Liberals and Catholics have held their own, but in the Northern provinces, where lie the great centres of national industry, the Socialists have swept the board. The country is seething with discontent on account of the scarcity and dearness of coal and foodstuffs. Up to the present 161 Liberals, 100 Catholics, and 156 Socialists have been elected, in addition to 78 representatives of minor parties. There has been a notable shifting of seats from the Catholics to the Socialists. It is believed that, when the new Parliament assembles on December 1st, the Catholics and the other non-Socialist parties will give their support to Signor Nitti, the Premier, and that he will command a majority in the Chamber. The Socialists' policy is well defined. They will demand the immediate and complete demobilisation of the Army, and that the military Ministers of War and the Navy shall be replaced by civilians. They will demand also an inquiry into the conduct of the war, including the reasons for Italy's entrance into it. The prospect explains, we think, the Government's unwillingness to force an issue with Signor d'Annunzio over the allegiance of the Army and Navy. It will need all the support that it can get from these forces in its conflict with the Socialists. The latter want to cut Italy's losses. The admirals and generals, far from desiring a euthanasia, have been hypnotised by d'Annunzio into new visions of martial glory and territorial aggrandisement. The Socialist policy threatens the stability of the throne; but it seems to be threatened also, if d'Annunzio is allowed to have his way, with the possibility of a military dictatorship. The Italian Government is between the devil and the deep sea.

Italy is a partner in the great Alliance, whose effective members, since America left her Allies to "hold the baby," are Britain and France. Neither Britain nor France has any right or any desire to interfere in Italy's internal politics; but both have important obligations to her. The chief of these is the fulfilment of the solemn duties to which they pledged themselves at the Supreme Council in Paris. The consciences of Britain, France, and the United States—especially the United States—should be thoroughly uncomfortable, so far as Italy is concerned, at the present time. D'Annunzio, the dangerous visionary, the disturber of international peace, the darling of a hundred thousand inflamed militarists like himself, is the offspring of their folly and indecision. President Wilson imposed on the Allies a highly *doctrinaire* settlement of the Fiume question, which, with all other European responsibilities, his country has now renounced. Britain and France dilliied and dallied, refusing to impose this or any other settlement. More than two months ago d'Annunzio presented them with an impudent *fait accompli* which made him glorious in the eyes of Italy and made them ridiculous in the eyes of the world. They still dillied and dallied, and now d'Annunzio, treating them with lofty contempt, and taking his own King by the beard, proposes to re-make the whole map of Eastern Europe. Unless they decide to act without further delay the farce of Fiume may have a tragic ending in the outbreak of further wars and the fall of further thrones. They must decide at once to give Fiume either to Italy or to the Jugo-Slavs, or to make it a Free State under the League of Nations; the decision really is immaterial so long as it is taken promptly and enforced firmly. If Britain and France give Fiume to Italy, d'Annunzio's fame will have a momentary "boom" in that country. The "boom" will collapse quickly, however, when the two great Powers—as, of course, they must—take the fiery poet by the back of the neck, throw him out of Dalmatia, and relieve Montenegro and Serbia of the offence of his foolish posturings. When d'Annunzio has been deprived of his halo the political situation in Italy will be much improved; and—what is far more important—the League of Nations will have begun to justify its existence.

The Anti-Dumping Bill.

The Imports and Exports Regulation Bill, which has just been published, deserves careful study, for it promises to be the most keenly controversial measure of the Parliamentary Session. The Government has produced it in fulfilment of the pledge to protect British trade and industry against unfair competition in the home markets; but whether it will be an efficient instrument is open to doubt. It bristles with points that lend themselves to criticism, and it is certain that it will please neither the advocates of Tariff Reform nor ardent Free Traders. The latter's attitude was defined by Mr. Runciman, at Manchester yesterday, when he declared that, "of all the befogged and bemused measures ever introduced into Parliament, this one takes first prize." The chief feature of the Bill is the proposal to appoint a committee which will have virtually unlimited powers to take whatever steps it may think necessary to regulate our imports and exports. It will be in a position to prohibit entirely the importation of goods that may be sold in the United Kingdom below their "foreign value." In recent speeches both Mr. Lloyd George and Sir Auckland Geddes referred to the need for some measure which will prevent Germany from re-establishing her place in our markets by a process of dumping. The Bill, however, goes much further than that. "Foreign value" is defined as the price, calculated in sterling, at which an article is sold to the consumer in the country of production. When production in the United Kingdom is likely to be affected the import of similar goods will be permitted only on documentary evidence of the "foreign value," and, if this is not up to the standard, the importer must pay the difference to the Customs authorities before his consignment is cleared. To safeguard key industries the Board of Trade, at the Committee's request, may prohibit the import of certain goods, no matter whether the price in the British market is above or below the "foreign value." The Bill contains provision for the granting of import licences on special terms, and it is stipulated that, so far as may be practicable, preference will be given to goods from the British Dominions. If it is found that any restrictions that the Committee considers necessary cause prices to rise unduly, the Board of Trade may fix *maximum* prices for a period of three years. It is doubtful whether the Government would not have been better advised to embark boldly upon a system of general tariffs. Its present proposals may lead to well nigh endless irritation and confusion without giving trade and industry the effective protection which they require. No one can regard with equanimity the proposal to confer such wide powers upon a single committee; for it means, in effect, a return to the system under which trade was controlled during the war. We trust that the Government will not "rush" this highly controversial measure, and that time will be given to every trade organisation in the country to consider its details before any movement is made.

Ireland's Egg Trade.

The measures taken by the Department of Agriculture to foster the Irish egg trade have yielded splendid results. Our exports of eggs and poultry now rank next in importance to our exports of cattle. According to the latest statistics, the value of the eggs sent to Great Britain in 1918 was £15,600,000, and it is believed that this year's trading will show a substantial increase. High prices, of course, play an important part in this gratifying state of affairs, but they do not form the only cause. There has been a steady expansion in the volume of our exports. During the last ten months the quantity of eggs exported shows an increase of two and a half million great hundreds as compared with the quantity exported during the corresponding period of 1913. We have captured not only Russia's egg trade with Great Britain, but also a considerable slice of Denmark's. Can we keep our gains? The time is at hand when we must face Continental competition once more. There are two sources of weakness in our position. The first is the low rate of egg production during the winter months. We are still very much below the Continental standard in this connection. One of the secrets of Denmark's success in the egg and butter trades is her ability to guarantee supplies during the whole year. If we are to compete successfully, we must be able to give a similar guarantee. Our farmers must adopt more scientific methods than they have employed hitherto. The other source of weakness is our faulty system of grading and packing. Fortunately, there has been a very marked improvement in this respect of late years.

Tracks for Cyclists.

One of the chief objections urged against the appointment of Sir Eric Geddes as Minister of Transport was his intimate connection with railways. It was believed that his training and experience would lead him to devote all his time and attention to the development of this means of communication, to the detriment of others. Events have not justified these gloomy prognostications. He has shown a very lively appreciation of the value of road transport, and has devised comprehensive plans for its improvement. During the coming year local authorities will have to find £23,000,000 for the maintenance of the roads, and this amount will be supplemented by a contribution of £10,000,000 from the Government. Sir Eric Geddes told a London meeting last week that he was sorry that he could not extract a larger grant from the Treasury. One of his problems is the best method of reconciling the conflicting requirements of horse and mechanical transport. The solution will probably be found in the provision of a separate track for each. A movement in this direction has been foreshadowed by the Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry. He told the Cycle and Motor Cycle Manufacturers' and Traders' Union that there was a proposal to form specially prepared tracks for cyclists alongside all main roads that are to be enlarged. The cost, it is said, would not be very great.

DISGRACEFUL OUTRAGE NEAR NENAGH.

On Thursday evening last a horse, the property of Mr. Michael Carey, was shot dead while carting a load of provisions from Palias station to Rearcross. It is said that the reason for the outrage was that Mr. Carey conveyed goods for the local police. A few weeks ago a horse, the property of Mr. William Flannery, of the same place, was shot for a similar reason.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON, SUNDAY NIGHT.

Lord Downham has lost no time in issuing a reply to the attack made upon him by Dr. Addison on Friday, and it is of the character expected from the ex-President of the Local Government Board. He reminds Dr. Addison that there exist official and dated records of every action of his relating to the housing question while he was at the Local Government Board, and of every action of Dr. Addison as Minister for Reconstruction. Lord Downham makes it clear that he did not want to incur great waste of public money by setting up unnecessary machinery before it was wanted, with the appointment of a number of highly paid officials, "while," he adds, "Dr. Addison has proved himself a champion in the setting up of committees and in the appointing of highly paid officials." This reply calls urgently for explanation from Dr. Addison.

It is stated to-day that a proposal has been made in the North of England that Labour generally shall resent the end of the unemployment dole by ceasing work for half an hour at a given signal as a "silent protest." This seems to be rather ridiculous, for such a step will give no work to those lacking employment, but rather the contrary. The millions of half-hours wasted would mean ultimate unemployment somewhere for somebody for the same period. There are some 35,000 workers who will need to secure employment during the next fortnight, and it ought not to be very difficult for such a number, or the greater part of them, to find work. The number includes 34,000 women; yet hundreds of thousands of domestic servants are required, and a suitable person can now secure a good home, high wages, and easy hours without any great amount of trouble. The 61,000 men unemployed may not find it so easy as the women, but it should not be difficult to place them with the present demand for labour in all directions.

The decision of the Government to grant a bonus of £150 for every house built during the next year has given rise to much discussion. Experts on the question doubt whether such a proposal will attract private enterprise able to undertake building on a large scale. In fact, it is said that the Government subsidy will prove a check to private enterprise. The real trouble concerns the rent of the houses. If a house costs £1,000 to build, the rent can scarcely be less than £50 *per annum*. This sum is generally beyond the class for which such houses are intended. At the same time it seems certain that the Bill will go through Parliament, and that the payment of a subsidy will be part of it.

Sir David Harrel, who for the past four years and a half has been working hard as Chairman of the Court of Arbitration, now finds himself by the closing of the Court able to look forward to a period of rest. The connection of Sir David Harrel with the Court is rather wonderful, for he has been Chairman throughout, though the other members of the Court have often been changed. He has been continuously at work, though now in his seventy-third year. Some six thousand cases have been before the Court, and its awards have always been regarded as most fair and impartial.

Mr. Bottomley will ask the Prime Minister on Tuesday whether he is aware that, owing to the refusal of certain Irish members of Parliament to take their seats, a large number of Irish electors are deprived of any opportunity of having their grievances expressed in Parliament, while many Irish electors are without Parliamentary representation; and what steps, if any, the Government proposes to take to remedy this state of affairs.

On Monday, December 1st, Lieutenant-Commander Kenworthy will ask the Prime Minister whether the Government, before announcing their new Irish policy, will consider the advisability and the justice of granting at least as full a measure of self-government to the people of Ireland as they are granting to the people of Malta.

Colonel John Ward is to be given a dinner at the House of Commons shortly by a number of the members. The hosts will include members of all parties, but it is said that only members who have seen active service will be included. Colonel Wedgwood and Commander Kenworthy have both done something for their country in this respect. It will be interesting to see if they attend the dinner, and possibly listen to the plain tales told by the gallant colonel.

Startling rumours are current in Scandinavia with regard to secret military preparations supposed to be made by Germany with a view to an overthrow of the Republican Government by the militarist party. It is further rumoured that the Germans are about to build a new fleet of submarines. The story is an elaboration of the news already published here, but no very great importance is attached to it in official circles. A keen watch is being kept, and it would be almost impossible for Germany to build more submarines without the fact coming to our knowledge. The Allies have always a potent weapon in reserve if Germany should show renewed signs of belligerency. Now that Germany has no Navy, the blockade could be enforced at a day's notice, and the dread of this terrible weapon is very real in Germany.

I have just met an Englishwoman, married to a German, who has been in Berlin all through the war, and she makes no secret of the fact that her sufferings and those of her child have been terribly severe. They were able to keep just alive on the food that they received, and she has come to England with scarcely a whole garment, clothes being much too costly for anybody not a millionaire to buy in Germany. The Germans at that time regarded the blockade as their most terrible weapon devised against them, and fully recognised its effect on their defeat.

With reference to the trial of the ex-Kaiser, it is said that Mr. Lloyd George entertains no doubt as to the attitude that will be taken up by the Netherlands Government. The ex-Kaiser will either be given up to the Allies or permitted to return to Germany. If he should decide on the latter course, the Peace Treaty provides for his surrender by the German Government. There still seems to be a doubt whether his trial will take place in London, and it is possible that some other place in this country may be chosen.

The exhibition of cycles, motor cycles, and three-wheeled cycle cars at Olympia is a most interesting one. The motor cycles shown mark the progress which has been made during the war period. Improvements are mainly matters of detail, but it is clear that the motor cycle of to-day is in many respects a distinct advance upon the machine of 1914. Quietness in running has been achieved not only in the matter of silencing the escaping exhaust gases, but in the operation of the mechanical parts; while in the matter of power for weight the progress is considerable. The light three-wheeled car shows the greatest change. To all intents and purposes, some of them are miniature motor cars, with the exception of a single back wheel instead of a back axle carrying two wheels. The motor scooter is slow to develop, but it is expected that a considerable number of the smallest form of motor transport will be in use in the spring.

Many of the older London clubs are considerably affected by the high cost of living at the present time, and have been obliged to raise their subscriptions. This does not prevent, however, the formation of new clubs. A club is to be arranged in London for the use of Masons and the general promotion of Masonic interests, while a proposal is being made for the formation of a club for officers from the ranks.

TREATMENT OF PRISONERS.

GOVERNMENT'S FIRM ACTION.

NO AMELIORATION FOR COMMON LAW OFFENCES.

HUNGER-STRIKERS NOT TO BE RELEASED.

The following official notification has been issued by the General Prisons Board, Dublin Castle, dated November 22, 1919:—

NOTICE.

It has been determined by His Majesty's Government that in future no ameliorations of prison treatment of any kind whatever are to be given in cases of prisoners who have been convicted of the following offences:—

I. Any offence for which he might have been legally indicted or summarily convicted at Common Law or under any Statute other than the Defence of the Realm Act, no matter by what tribunal such prisoner may be tried, or under what Act he may be charged;

II. The following offences under the Defence of the Realm Act and the Regulations thereunder:—

(a) The carrying, having, or keeping of firearms, military arms, ammunition or explosive substances.
Reg. 9AA (*f*) Defence of the Realm Regulations.

(b) The having, keeping, or using of a motor car or motor cycle by any person other than a member of His Majesty's Forces or of the Forces of any of His Majesty's Allies, a police constable without a permit from the proper authority.
Reg. 9AA (*e*). Defence of the Realm Regulations.

(c) Failure to obey an Order of the Competent Naval or Military Authority prohibiting such person from residing in or entering any area.
Reg. 14 Defence of the Realm Regulations.

III. Any prisoner committed in default of finding sureties to keep the peace and be of good behaviour shall as regards ameli

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LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADEN, Tuesday.—The Kaisar-I-Hind and the Prins Ludwig, for London, left to-day. The Vita, from Rotterdam, left on Tuesday.
ADEN, Saturday.—The Macedonian left; the Morpeth, for Boulogne; the Rembrandt, for Rotterdam; the Rhineland, for Antwerp; the Fredericia, for Bremen; the Rhineland, passed; the Waffodil, for Rotterdam, arrived.
ADELAIDE, Friday.—The Benalla, from London for Hobart, arrived.
BARRY, Friday.—The Merchant, for Monte Video, left.
BUENOS AYRES, Friday.—The Linton Grange, from Rouen, left.
BRUNSWICK, Saturday.—The Alexandrian, for Calcutta, sailed.
BAHIA BLANCA, Thursday.—The Velocity, from Glasgow, arrived.
COLOMBO, Thursday.—The City of Florence, for London, from Calcutta, arrived; the Historian and the Ex-ford, from Calcutta, arrived; the City of Bristol, from Dulwich Docks, for Chandpur, sailed; the Clan Grant, from Calcutta for London, sailed; the Clan Keith, from Calcutta for London, sailed; the Rosa Marie, for London, left; the Ellerman Line's Manchuria, from London for Calcutta, left on the 16th; the Nubian, from London for Calcutta, left on the 16th; the Australia, for the Clyde, left on the 16th; the Australia, for the Clyde, left on the 16th; the Australia, for the Clyde

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PROSPECTUS.

A copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

By special permission of the Committee of the Stock Exchange for dealing in the Preference Shares offered below, after allotment, is being applied for.

The Subscription List will Close on or before Saturday, 29th November, 1919.

ABDULLA & COMPANY LIMITED.
(CIGARETTE & TOBACCO MANUFACTURERS).

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

SHARE CAPITAL.

Authorised:		Issue: (Including seven Ordinary Shares already issued for cash.)
£500,000 in 500,000 8 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each.		£250,000
£500,000 in 500,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each---		£300,000
£1,000,000		£550,000

THE LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER & PARR'S BANK, LIMITED.

82 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.; Head Office: 41 Lothbury, London, E.C., and Branches, are authorised as Bankers of the Company to receive applications for

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The Articles of Association provide that no Dividend exceeding 10 per cent. in any one year shall be paid on the Ordinary Shares until a Reserve Fund has been accumulated equal to the amount at which the Preference Shares stand for the time being in the books.

The Preference Dividend will be payable half-yearly on the 1st January and 1st July, and will accrue from the 1st January, 1920.

Applications from Customers will receive special consideration.

DIRECTORS.

W. J. LYNN, 49 Wells street, Oxford street, London, W.1., Cigarette Manufacturer (Chairman and Managing Director).
J. A. GROVE, 49 Wells street, Oxford street, London, W.1. Cigarette Manufacturer.
(Assisted by Sir HOWARD MELLISS, K.C.S.I., 6 Buckingham Palace Gardens, London, S.W.3.

BANKERS.

LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED, 52 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.2. Head Office, 41 Lothbury, London, E.C.2, and Branches.

SOLICITORS.

SLAUGHTER and MAY, 18 Austin Friars, London, E.C.2.

BROKERS.

R. NIVISON and CO., Bank Buildings, Princes street, London, E.C.2.

AUDITORS.

WHINNEY, SMITH and WHINNEY, 4b Frederick's Place, Old Jewry, London, E.C.2.

SECRETARY AND REGISTERED OFFICE.

ARTHUR M. PHILLIPS, 49 Wells street, Oxford street, London, W.1.

PROSPECTUS.

This Company has been formed for the objects stated in its Memorandum of Association, and in particular to acquire and take over as a going concern and extend the business of the private Company of the same name, Abdulla and Company, Limited, established in 1902, and carrying on business as Highclass Cigarette and Tobacco Manufacturers, Importers and Exporters (subsequently referred to as "the Old Company").

The Company will conduct, in the factories and premises in its occupation, every operation incidental to the manufacture of cigarettes, for which it possesses an extensive and up-to-date plant.

It will take over an extensive and valuable clientèle in all parts of the world, and also the registered trade-marks, known everywhere, under which its goods are sold.

The value of these trade-marks, comprising the name "Abdulla," and the registered designs which go with it, constitute a most important and indispensable part of the Company's goodwill.

The Company holds stocks of the choicest growths of genuine Macedonian Tobacco (known as Turkish Tobacco) and the highest grades of Virginian Tobacco amply sufficient to meet its growing trade.

The Old Company's books show that the stocks of tobacco stood on November 1st, 1919, at a cost of over £300,000, and this figure is considerably below the present market prices.

It has a large accumulation of orders on the books for all parts of the world, and a demand for its products is being experienced far in excess of the present output, which, however, is being increased, and this should add to the profits of the Company.

The net profits of the Old Company have largely increased during the past 12 years. The decrease in the year 1918 is accounted for by the fact that the output was purposely restricted with the object of conserving a portion of the stocks of fine tobaccos, which at that time, owing to the war, could not be replaced. The turnover for the first 10 months of this year shows an increase of 29 per cent. compared with the corresponding period of last year, and the profit for the full period of last year and for this year is estimated by the Managing Director to produce a greater net profit than the average of the five years ended 31st December, 1918.

Messrs. Whinney, Smith and Whinney, Chartered Accountants, the Auditors of the Old Company, have certified the following Certificate in respect thereof:—

To the Directors of ABDULLA and CO., LTD.

Gentlemen,

We have acted as Auditors of your Company since the date of its incorporation in 1902, and we certify that the Net Profits for the six years ending 31st December, 1918, have been as follows:—

For the year ending—

	£	s.	d.
December 31st, 1913	33,136	6	8
December 31st, 1914	33,930	2	11
December 31st, 1915	67,036	14	7
December 31st, 1916	75,683	3	8
December 31st, 1917	95,097	1	10
December 31st, 1918	66,521	9	3

These Net Profits have been arrived at after providing for all outgoings, including Directors' and Management Salaries, Depreciation of Machinery, Fixtures, Fittings, Motor Vehicles, Office and Shop Furniture, and after provision has been made for all Bad and Doubtful Debts. They also have been charging Income Tax, Excess Profits Duty and Interest paid on Loans to the Company and exclusive of Interest received on Money on Deposit and Investments.

We further certify that the Assets of the Company, less the Liabilities at 31st December, 1918, as shown by the books of the Company, were as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Stock-in-Trade as certified by the Managing Director	221,446	12	5
Plant, Machinery, Fixtures, Motor Vehicles, Advertising Fixtures and Fittings, Office and Shop Furniture, at cost, less depreciation	16,565	0	7
Cash, Bills Receivable and Stamps	25,042	17	11
Sundry Debtors, less Reserve for Discount and Doubtful Debts	69,052	13	6
War Loans and Bonds at prices since realised or market price on 31st December, 1918	27,815	16	6
Trade Investments	30	0	0
	360,508	0	10
Deduct—			
Trade and Loan Creditors	£39,858	13	3
Bills payable	1,753	0	0
Provision for Taxes and (estimated) Excess Profits Duty	88,249	6	0
Dividend, since paid	7,500	0	0
	152,351	17	4
Excess of Assets over Liabilities	£208,156	3	7

Yours faithfully,
WHINNEY, SMITH and WHINNEY.

4b, Frederick's place,
Old Jewry, E.C.2.
10th November, 1919.

To the excess of Assets over Liabilities	£208,156	3	7
To the amount to be raised by the present issue of the Preference Shares	200,000	0	0
and undivided profits for 1919 (10½ months) guaranteed by the old Company as hereinafter mentioned	35,000	0	0
	£443,156	3	7

Subject to the expenses of the formation of the Company and this issue.

The annual profits of the Old Company for the last six years, as shown by the above certificate, average £66,749 per annum. Assuming that only one-half of the profit is available for the dividend on the £200,000 Preference Shares offered for subscription nearly three times over, and this without taking into account the profits to be accumulated by the proceeds of this issue.

The Company will acquire the whole of the undertaking and assets of the Old Company and the benefit of the trading from 31st December, 1918.

The Old Company (Abdulla and Company Limited, whose Registered Office is at 49 Wells street, Oxford street, London, W.) is the Vendor of the property agreed to be sold to the Company, and the consideration payable by the Company for such purchase is (a) the sum of £50,000 in cash, (b) the allotment by the Company of 299,995 fully-paid Ordinary Shares of £1 each, (c) the payment by the Company of the debts and liabilities, and of the expenses of the winding up, of the Old Company, and (d) the £106,156 3s. 7d. as payable for goodwill. £35,000 is payable to the Old Company after providing for Income Tax and Excess Profits Duty). This amount will be received by the Company as to £20,000 on the 1st January, 1920, and as to £15,000 on the 1st January, 1921.

The Old Company's business has been managed by Mr. W. J. Lynn and Mr. J. A. Grove since its inception; they will continue to give their services to the Company at a remuneration to be hereafter fixed, and the Company will have the benefit of their experience and management.

It will be seen that when the amount of the purchase price, payable in cash—viz., £50,000, has been raised from the proceeds of this issue, that such proceeds will provide £300,000 for working capital, subject to the payment of the preliminary expenses, underwriting commission, and brokerage.

The shares now offered for subscription have been underwritten by Messrs. R. Nivison and Co. for a commission at the rate of 2½ per cent. on the nominal amount thereof, and such commission is payable by the Company.

The Company will pay the preliminary expenses of and incident to its formation and the present issue, and the estimated amount thereof (including that of the commissions above mentioned, and of brokerage and stamp duty on the sale) is £6,000.

The following contracts have been entered into:—

(1) An Agreement, dated 19th November, 1919, made between Abdulla and Company Limited (the Old Company) and C. J. G. Palmour, Chartered Accountant, a member of the firm of Messrs. Whinney, Smith, and Whinney, 4b, Frederick's Place, Old Jewry, London, E.C.2.

(2) 21st November, 1919, made between the Company and Messrs. R. Nivison and Co.

The Directors are interested to the following extent—viz., Mr. W. J. Lynn as a Shareholder in the Vendor Company, and Mr. Palmour as the present owner of the purchase consideration and will act as Managing Director of this Company.

Copies of the above-mentioned Contracts and a print of the Company's Memorandum and Articles of Association may be seen at the offices of the Company's Solicitors, Messrs. Slaughter and May, 18 Austin Friars, London, E.C.2, between the hours of eleven and four at any time up to allotment.

Application for shares should be made on the accompanying form and sent to the Company's Bankers, the London County Westminster and Parr's Bank Limited, 52 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.2, or Branches, together with the amount payable on application.

Where the number of Shares allotted is less than the number applied for the balance of the deposit will be returned.

Failure to pay the amount due on the 20th December, 1919, will render the deposit paid on application liable to forfeiture and the allotment to be cancelled. Interest may be charged at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum if the final instalment is not paid at due date.

A brokerage of 5d. per Share will be paid on allotments in respect of applications bearing the stamp of a Broker.

The Share Certificates will be ready on or before the 28th January, 1920.

Application will be made in due course to the Committee of the London Stock Exchange for a quotation for the Shares.

Prospectuses and Forms of Application may be obtained from the Company's Bankers, the London County Westminster and Parr's Bank Limited, 52 Threadneedle street, London, E.C.2, or the Head Office, 41 Lothbury, E.C.2, or any of their Branches and from their Solicitors or Brokers.

Dated 22nd November, 1919.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES. C

ABDULLA & COMPANY LIMITED.

CAPITAL £1,000,000

Divided into 500,000 8 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each, and 500,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.

ISSUE OF 250,000 8 PER CENT. CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES OF £1 EACH FOR SUBSCRIPTION AT PAR.

To the Directors of ABDULLA and COMPANY LIMITED.

GENTLEMEN,—Having paid to the Bankers of your Company the sum of £..... being a deposit of 2s. per Share payable on application for ..... 8 per Cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each in the above Company, I/we request that you will allot me/us that number of Shares, and I/we hereby agree to accept the same or any less number that may be allotted to me/us upon the terms of the full Prospectus of the Company and the Memorandum and Articles of Association, and I/we undertake to pay the balance as provided by the said Prospectus, and I/we authorise you to register me/us as the holder(s) of the Shares.

I/we hereby declare that this application is not made by or for the benefit of an enemy subject within the meaning of the Trading with the Enemy (Amendment) Act, 1915, or of any person with whom trading is forbidden under any Proclamation for the time being in force relating to Trading with the Enemy.

Name in full .....
(Please state if Mr., Mrs., or Miss)

TO BE WRITTEN DISTINCTLY.

Address .....

Description .....

Usual Signature .....

Date ..... 1919.

This form to be filled up and sent to the Bankers of the Company, the LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED, 52 Threadneedle street, E.C., or Branches, with Cheque for the amount payable on application.

All cheques should be made payable to the LONDON COUNTY WESTMINSTER AND PARR'S BANK, LIMITED, or Bearer and crossed "not negotiable."

Any alteration from "order" to "Bearer" must be signed by the Drawer.

An acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course either by Allotment Letter or by return of the Deposit.

FINANCIAL NEWS

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed Nov. 6) ..... 6 p.c.

LONDON, SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

The week has ended firmly in the Money market. Owing to larger Treasury Bill sales and a more limited number of maturities during the week the margin on which Lombard street has been working has narrowed appreciably. Liberal offerings of local commercial bills and large arrivals of American cotton paper have operated in the same direction. To-day loan conditions were hard for a Saturday. Call money kept around 4½ per cent., the rate for new money being still rather over that figure. Weekly loans were arranged at 4½ to 5 per cent. Movements in calls and dividend payments totalled nearly a million. Discount rates held firm. Short drafts held at 5¼ per cent., but the three months quotation was 5¾ per cent., and occasionally rather less. Full six months' drafts were quoted at 6 per cent.

Silver further rose 1d. to 74d. spot, and 72⅞d. per oz. forward.

The following foreign exchange rates were current to-day:—New York cables 4.04 to 4.04⅛, Paris cables 38.70 to 38.90, Amsterdam cables 11.78½ to 11.79½, Italy cables 43.50 to 45.00, Madrid cables 20.25 to 20.27, Christiania cables 18.56 to 18.61, Stockholm cables 17.88 to 17.93, Finland 2.15 to 2.19, Berne cables 23.25 to 23.35, Germany cables 172½ to 175, Rio de Janeiro, 90 days' bills, 17 4-d.; Buenos Ayres transfers, 57 16-16 to 58 6-d.

The Stock Exchange was closed to-day, as usual, on Saturday.

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET.

Friday's closing prices:—Alldays and Onions, 31/6; Austin Ord., 25/6; do. 8 Per Cent. Pref., 16/-; 17/4½; Belsize Motor, 3d/-; Birmingham Small Arms, 33/9; Bluemel Bros., 47/-; Bowden Brake, 25/-; Brelt Stamping, 33/6; Brown Bros., 7/-; Brooks (J. B.), 41/6; Calcott Bros., 94/-; Calthorpe Motor, 13/-; Charron (1919), 25/6; Components, 21/-; do. Def., 20/6; Coventry Chain, 97/6; Crossley Motors, 26/10½; Darracq and Co., 58/3; do. Pref., 21/9; Dennis Bros., 23/3; Enfield Cycle, 34/-; Fodens, 64/-; Guy Motors, 36/6; Hallford, 56/6; Hales's Motor, 41/-; Hazeldine and Johnson, 75/-; Humber, 26/9; do. Pref., 16/10½; James Cycle, 37/6; Leyland Rubber, 39/-; Lucas (Joe), 35/6; Maudslay, 23/6; do. Pref., 15/-; Napier, 52/-; do. Pref., 20/-; New Hudson, 30/-; Premier, 21/-; do. Pref., 17/6½; Riley Component, 28/6; Rolls Royce, 48/6; Rovers, 40/9; Rudge-Whitworth, 59/-; Singer and Co., 75/-; Smith (S.) and Sons, 26/-; Smith's Stamping, 67/-; Standard Motor, 85/-; Star Engineering, 21/6; Stepney Spare Wheel, 54/-; Stevens (J. Y.), 53/6; Straker Squire, 19/9; Sunbeam Motor, 38/9; Swift, 63/9; do. Pref., 18/3; Triumph, 58/6; Vanderveil (C. A.) and Co., Preference, 50/-; Vauxhall Motor, 26/3; Vulcan Motor, 7/-; Wolseley Motor Pref., 19/9; Wright (F. G.), 26/6; Dunlop Rubber, 23/3; do. 7 per cent. A Pref., 19/6; do. B Pref., 19/9; Parent Tyre Ord., 23/4½; do. Pref., 15/-; do. Def., 65/3; Brotherton Tube, 8/6; Tubes, 67/6; Tyre Investment, 99/6.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

CHESTERS BREWERY.—Interim dividend of 5 per cent. (actual).

ELLA TEA.—Dividend of 10 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares.

NOAKES AND CO.—Dividend of 50 per cent. (1/- per share) on Ordinary for year.

MORGAN'S BREWERY.—Further dividend of 9½ per cent., making 12½ per cent. for the year.

A. B. FLEMING AND CO.—Interim dividend of 1 per share, less tax, on Ordinary.

REVERSIONARY ASSOCIATION.—Dividend of 3 per cent., less tax, for the year.

ROBERTS WM. CLIFTON.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., free of tax, on Ordinary.

CYANIDE.—Final dividend of 1/6 per share, making, with the interim dividend paid in June last, 2/- per share for the year.

LONDON AND HANSEATIC.—Final dividend on the Ordinary Shares at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, making 10 per cent. for the year.

MARSTON, THOMPSON AND EVERSHED.—Interim dividend at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ordinary for half-year.

MIRRLEES, BICKERTON, AND DAY.—Interim dividend at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, on Ordinary for half-year.

MOUNT KEMBLA COLLIERIES.—Dividend of 2½ per cent. for the year, making 5 per cent. for the year.

NEARIGH LEAD.—Final dividend of 1/- per share, free of tax, making 7½ per cent. for the twelve months.

PAHANG KUMPUR RUBBER.—Final dividend of 15 per cent., making 20 per cent. for the year, equivalent to 1/1.6 per share, less 5 per cent. tax.

SCOTTISH AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT.—Final dividend of 7½ per cent. on Ordinary, making 10 per cent. for the year.

VOGELSTRUIS ESTATES AND GOLD MINES.—A loss of £7,000, which increases the debit balance to be carried forward to £71,314.

CREDIT FONCIER OF MAURITIUS.—Dividend of 6 per cent. on the Shares, less tax, on account of the year.

SUNGEI KRUIT RUBBER ESTATE.—Interim dividend of 7½ p.c. (1 4/5d. per share), less tax, on Ord.

HOWNESS ESTATES.—The accounts for the year to March 31st last show a loss of £3,134, which increases the debit balance to be carried forward to £12,087.

SOUTH AFRICAN AND GENERAL INVESTMENT TRUST.—Dividend of 4 p.c. per annum, less tax, on Ord. for half year, making 4 p.c. for the year.

MATABELE QUEEN'S CO.—With the amount brought forward there is a total debit balance of £2,387. A resolution will be submitted at the general meeting to consider that the company be wound up voluntarily.

MOUNT ZEEHAN (TASMANIA) SILVER LEAD MINES.—A loss of £877, which, together with £1,980 balance written off, leaves the Contingency Share account increased by the debit balance to be carried forward to £1,310,475.

COLONIAL GAS.—Dividend on Ordinary Shares of 7 per cent., less tax, for the year, carrying forward £9,607, a proposal to increase the number of Preference Shares from 50,000 to 90,000 to be submitted.

DEMERARA RAILWAY.—Dividends for the half-year on the 4 per cent. Extension Preference Stock, on the 7 per cent. Consolidated Preference Stock, and at the rate of 3¼ per cent. per annum on the Preferred Ordinary Stock.

JUGRA ESTATE.—At a meeting of the directors held on the 21st inst., an interim dividend of 30 per cent. on the £1 shares, "A" and "B" on the Ord. Shares," together with a bonus of 6d. per share, all payable from Straits tax, was declared, to be paid on the 8th December, 1919.

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FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Outlook.—Now that the dear money bogey has been laid (says the *Sunday Times*), the outlook for markets is rather more cheerful than it has been of late. The rejection of the Peace Treaty by the American Senate looks an awkward fact, but Mr. Wilson is not likely to consent to its abandonment, and if it comes to a trial of strength between the President and the Senate we should be prepared to back the former. Incidentally, we may mention that Wall street has entirely ceased to influence Throgmorton street. There was really no reason why the slump in New York shares should have been reflected here at all, and those who attached undue importance to it have had many very expensive lessons in the way of salary. Even the record fall in the New York exchange has had no appreciable effect here. It is regarded as a temporary set-back due to the heavy pressure of realisation at this period of the year, and except that it tends to appreciate the prices of dollar securities quoted in London has great significance. A further recovery in the gilt-edged group appears probable, now that the dear money bogey may be abandoned. War Loan Five, Victory Bonds, and National War Bonds are all cheap investments. We look for a material advance in French Fours and Fives when the Lottery Loan is out of the way, and any investor who buys at high prices and lower his hopes on tall talk about the uses of oil and so forth is indulging in a gamble. Naturally the shake-out disturbed the weaklings and the timid. Had it disturbed others it would have been no bad thing. But the Oil Share Market is not done with. There are too many substantial projects still awaiting birth to permit of that fear.

ALLIANCE ECONOMIC INVESTMENT.—After providing £2,500 for repairs, £7,858 for income tax, and £3615 for bad debts, transferring £528 to reserve for doubtful debts, and £7,192 to the sinking fund, the accounts for the year to January 31 last show a loss of £3,432, which increases the debit balance to be carried forward to £37,195.

CARLTON HOTEL.—After payment of Debenture interest, directors' fees, etc., transferring £4,590 to reserve for amortisation of leases of the Carlton Hotel, and including the £24,671 brought forward, the accounts for the year to August 31st last show a credit balance of £64,158 to be carried forward. The directors state that it is proposed in December next to redeem all the bonuses for unpaid interest issued to holders of the 4½ per cent. Debentures.

BRIER RUBBER.—Dividend at the rate of 7½ per cent. The directors further recommend that £9,857, part of the amount of £10,500 standing to credit of reserve account, be capitalised, and applied in paying up unissued shares to that amount, to be distributed pro rata among the shareholders, in the proportion of one to five shares, thereby raising the issued capital to £35,142. It is also proposed to increase the capital of the company to £100,000, and to subdivide the capital into shares of 2/- each.

HYAM AND CO.—An extraordinary general meeting is to be held on December 9 to confirm resolutions submitted on November 19 to alter the rights of the Pref. Shares, so that as from February 15, 1919, they shall be entitled to receive no additional dividend of 2 per cent. when 10 per cent. or over has been paid in any year on the Ord. Shares, and an additional 1 per cent. where more and less than 7½ per cent., but less than 10 per cent. has been paid.

BRITISH COTTON AND WOOL DYERS' ASSOCIATION.—The British Cotton and Wool Dyers Association interim report shows £55,311 net profit, plus £58,160 brought forward. The total is carried forward to the end of the year. The preceding interim profit was £38,000. The directors' purpose doubling the existing share capital by the creation of two new 5/- ordinary shares, followed by a bonus distribution of one new to two old shares, by capitalising issue of £100,000 of the reserve.

AMALGAMATED COTTON MILLS TRUST.—The revenue account covering the period from October 1st, 1918, to the date of the incorporation of the company), to October 31st, 1919, shows a profit of £114,413. The dividend of 7½ per cent. per annum has been paid on the Preference shares to October 31st, 1919, and dividends of 6/- per share, free of income tax, on the Ordinary shares, absorbing amounting to £86,489, leaving an available balance of £27,926, out of which it is proposed to pay a final dividend of 2/- per share on the Ordinary Shares, free of income tax; to write off preliminary expenses, £7,157; leaving to be carried forward £769.

A. DARRACQ AND CO. (1905).—Net profit for year to September 30th, after writing off depreciation of buildings and other charges, is £167,872; add £44,387 brought forward, together making £212,260. Directors have transferred £25,000 to reserve account, and recommend a dividend of 7½ per cent. on the Ordinary Shares (making 15 per cent. for the year), a bonus of 5 per cent. on the Ordinary Shares, and a further dividend at the rate of 5 per cent per annum on the Preferred Ordinary Shares (making 8 per cent. for the year). The directors have also purchased outright the whole of the shares in the Clement Talbot Company at a price with which they have every reason to be well satisfied. It is proposed to increase the capital of the company to £2,500,000 by the creation of 1,000,000 Preferred Ordinary Shares of £1 each and 500,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The Outlook.—Now that the dear money bogey has been laid (says the *Sunday Times*), the outlook for markets is rather more cheerful than it has been of late past. The rejection of the Peace Treaty by the American Senate looks an awkward fact, but Mr. Wilson is not likely to consent to its abandonment, and if it comes to a trial of strength between the President and the Senate we should be prepared to back the former. Incidentally, we may mention that Wall street has entirely ceased to influence Throgmorton street. There was really no reason why the slump in New York shares should have been reflected here at all, and those who attached undue importance to it have had many very expensive lessons in the way of salary. Even the record fall in the New York exchange has had no appreciable effect here. It is regarded as a temporary set-back due to the heavy pressure of realisation at this period of the year, and except that it tends to appreciate the prices of dollar securities quoted in London has great significance. A further recovery in the gilt-edged group appears probable, now that the dear money bogey may be abandoned. War Loan Five, Victory Bonds, and National War Bonds are all cheap investments. We look for a material advance in French Fours and Fives when the Lottery Loan is out of the way, and any investor who buys at high prices and lower his hopes on tall talk about the uses of oil and so forth is indulging in a gamble. Naturally the shake-out disturbed the weaklings and the timid. Had it disturbed others it would have been no bad thing. But the Oil Share Market is not done with. There are too many substantial projects still awaiting birth to permit of that fear.

It is announced that Mr. Bernard Oppenheimer has offered to give the Burmah Oil Company Corporation the right to purchase at par 400,000 shares of £1 each in a private company to be formed by him to acquire and carry on the Bernard Oppenheimer Diamond Works. If the offer is accepted £400,000 will be required to be provided forthwith, and the directors propose to issue 200,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each in the Corporation, or over has been paid in any year on the Ord. Shares, and an additional 1 per cent. where more and less than 7½ per cent., but less than 10 per cent. has been paid.

The Board of Jugra Estate has decided to recommend the increase of the capital to £375,000 by the creation of 100,000 10 per cent. Participating Pref. Shares into 65,000 Ord. Shares, so bringing the total Ordinary Shares capital up to £297,500. Subject to the sanction of the shareholders to this scheme, the Board proposes to capitalise £37,500 of the reserve fund by distributing 375,000 fully-paid shares amongst the shareholders in the proportion of one new share to each of the existing shares, thus bringing the total share capital to £75,000.

A Manchester correspondent telegraphs:—Although official confirmation of the news that Mr. Marcus Low, of Low, Marshall, and Co., Ltd., the head firm of cotton spinners and manufacturers, has been purchased by a syndicate with Lancashire and Western interests is not available, there is no doubt in official circles in Manchester, no doubt is entertained that the transaction has been completed. The purchasers are a group of financiers, including Mr. S. H. Asher. The price is said to be about £5,000,000. At the firm's London office the accuracy of the reported purchase is denied.

When the Stock Exchange Committee introduced their Commission Rules, and forbade their members to return half commission to, inter alios, the Mining Market, it was protested strongly at what they deemed unjust treatment. A memorial was presented by the Mining Industry Committee asking for permission to treat Mining Finance on the same terms as, for instance, Foreign Loans, but the Throgmorten street Governors declined to modify their attitude. With the greatest return to normal conditions in the Outlook is again revived as to the wisdom and unfairness of differentiating the brokers of Mining finance from those of Liverpool, Glasgow, Dublin, and other provincial centres. The Stock Exchange Committee's decision has caused a good deal of ill-feeling being afforded to firms who advertise, and as long as any of the Lane houses adopt similar methods, as the Committee making any departure from the present Rules.

The Argentine revival was a dead certainty, as we have pointed out for some time past. It only required a better understanding with the Argentine Government and the supply of fresh fuel coal mines in the country to bring about the revival. It has come, and with a vengeance. Argentina is a wonderfully prosperous. So are her railways in reality, for there is much to carry outwards, and now that shipping facilities are improving there is a growing volume of imports. Argentina has made huge purchases of coal, and the Government has had the import traffic is of great importance to the railways.

The Oil Share Market has revived substantially after the recent severe shake-out. It is not surprising. The bridge was there, else chaffer would might have supposed that there was a huge speculative account open, financed, that is, by the banks, and that with the check administered, the days of the market activity were numbered. It would have been well, perhaps, had there in reality been a more severe shake-out, for prices are often high enough. But the talk of the speculative account was greatly exaggerated. There may have been some market punting, there may have been a certain amount of speculation based on bank loans secured on other things, but there was nothing like the speculation hinted at, except in the sense that any investor who buys at high prices and lower his hopes on tall talk about the uses of oil and so forth is indulging in a gamble. Naturally the shake-out disturbed the weaklings and the timid. Had it disturbed others it would have been no bad thing. But the Oil Share Market is not done with. There are too many substantial projects still awaiting birth to permit of that fear.

DUNLOP RUBBER COMPANY.

CAPITAL TO BE INCREASED BY A MILLION POUNDS.

Shareholders in the Dunlop Rubber Company, Limited, are notified by circular that an extraordinary general meeting will be held at 14 Regent street, London, S.W. 1, on December 1, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of considering, and, if thought fit, passing, the following resolution, viz.:—

"That the capital of the company be increased to £7,500,000 by the creation of 1,000,000 additional Ordinary Shares of £1 each ranking in all respects *pari passu* with the existing Ordinary Shares of the company, save that the said additional Ordinary Shares shall have no right to participation in or payment of any dividend or dividends declared or to be declared in respect of the financial year ended August 31, 1919."

In a circular accompanying the formal notice calling the meeting the Secretary states that at the meeting on December 1 the Chairman will deal fully with the proposals of the board in relation to this new capital, and for the benefit of those shareholders unable to be present a full report of the Chairman's speech will be given wide publicity in the Press next day.

STOCK EXCHANGE NOTICES.

SECURITIES IN WHICH DEALINGS HAVE BEEN SPECIALLY ALLOWED.

Dealings in the following securities have been specially allowed by the Stock Exchange Committee under Temporary Regulation 4 (3):—

British Oil and Cake Mills.—1,250,000 Ord. Shares of £1 each, 10/- paid. Nos. 1,250,001 to 2,500,000.

Cuba Cigarette (Gilbert).—£125,000 7 per cent. (income tax free) 1st Mortgage Debenture Stock, 50 per cent. paid.

Forrest Land, Timber, and Railways.—1,545,850 Ord. Shares of £1 each (issued at 50/-, 15/- paid), Nos. 4,061,136 to 5,606,985.

Geevor Tin Mines.—180,000 shares of 10/- issued at 15/-, of which 5/- capital is paid, Nos. 180,001 to 360,000.

Howell (John) and Co.—300,000 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 1 to 300,000.

Kanar Para Rubber Estates.—75,000 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 75,001 to 150,000, after issue of allotment letters.

Kuala Selangor Rubber.—4,000 shares of 2/- each, fully paid, Nos. 306,001 to 310,000.

Leach's Argentine Estates.—50,000 Ord. Shares of 10/- each, fully paid, Nos. 950,001 to 1,000,000; 150,000 5 per cent. First Mort. Debs., £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 350,001 to 500,000; and 50,000 5½ per cent. 1st Mort. Debs., £100 bonds, Nos. 8,101 to 8,500; 1,000 bonds, Nos. 12,501 to 13,500.

Lever Brothers.—4,000,000 7½ per cent. Cum. (1st) Pref. Shares of £1 each, 15 paid, Nos. 1 to 4,000,000, after issue of allotment letters.

Mount Austin (Johore) Rubber.—150,000 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 450,001 to 600,000.

Seremban Rubber Estate.—25,000 shares of 2/- each, fully paid, Nos. 200,071 to 225,070.

Spring Mines.—248,311 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 944,926 to 1,163,986 and 1,200,001 to 1,239,250.

Ulu Rantau Rubber Estates.—32,931 shares of £1 each, fully paid, Nos. 32,933 to 66,869, after issue of allotment letters.

RECENT ISSUE PRICES.

Agricultural Industries 6½ p.c. (tax free) Pref., 19/6-20/6; Baldwins 5 p.c. Cum. "B" Pfce., 9/3 dis.; Birkenhead Corporation 5 p.c. 1924-34, 94-94½; British Imperial Corpn. 7 p.c. Cum. Pref., 9/6; do. Pref., 2/9-; British Industrial Corpn., 17/18-; British Overseas Bank Ord., 5/6; Cammell Laird, Ltd., 7 p.c. "B" Cum. Pfce., 16/6-17/-; Cubitts' Engineering Ord., 21/22½; do. 7½ p.c. Cum. Pref., 18/19-; English Electric Co., 7½ p.c. 1st Mort. Debs., £100 bonds, Nos. 8,101 to 8,500; 1,000 bonds, Nos. 12,501 to 13,500; Lever Brothers.—4,000,000 7½ per cent. Cum. (1st) Pref. Shares of £1 each, 15 paid, Nos. 1 to 4,000,000, after issue of allotment letters.

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AT OUR ESTATE SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.,

THURSDAY NEXT, AT 1.30 O'C.

69 PALMERSTON RD., RATHMINES.

WITH POSSESSION.

ATTRACTIVE HOUSE, IN CHOICE RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT, ON TRAM LINE.

SEEN ON ORDER FROM AUCTIONEERS.

ERNEST E. MERRICK, LL.D., Solicitor, 42 Fleet street, Dublin.

8 BELMONT AV., DONNYBROOK.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION.

KEY AT No. 10.

E. E. MERRICK, LL.D., Solicitor, 42 Fleet street.

BELGRAVE LODGE, 33 BELGRAVE RD., RATHMINES.

DETACHED, DOUBLE FRONTED.

39 BELGRAVE RD., RATHMINES.

FOR SAME ACCOUNT.

51 PALMERSTON RD., RATHMINES.

WITH POSSESSION.

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4 AND 17 PALMERSTON RD.

TWO WELL-BUILT HOUSES, WILL BE SOLD SEPARATELY

SEEN BY APPOINTMENT WITH AUCTIONEERS.

Messrs. HOEY and DENNING, Solicitors, 10 and 12 Trinity street.

40, 48 & 50 ST. PATRICK'S RD., DRUMCONDRA.

IN ONE OR MORE LOTS.

COMPACT HOUSES. POSSESSION OF No. 48.

No. 48 IS VACANT, AND IMMEDIATE POSSESSION CAN BE HAD. KEY No. 50.

Messrs. STEPHEN GORDON and SON, Solicitors, 15 Molesworth street.

72, 73, 74, 75 BRIGHTON ROAD, RATHGAR,

IN ONE OR MORE LOTS,

FOUR ATTRACTIVE NON-BASEMENT HOUSES.

Messrs. HORAN and DEVINE, Solicitors, 12 Dame street.

25 & 27 NEWBRIDGE AVE.,

IN FOUR LOTS.

LOT 1.—No. 25 NEWBRIDGE AVENUE.

LOT 2.—No. 27 NEWBRIDGE AVENUE. Indemnified against all rent by Nos. 29 and 31. Let to solvent tenant at £45 per annum, payable month by P.L.V. £22 each.

LOT 3.—A RENT-CHARGE of £5 and £2 14s. 6d. OUT OF HOUSES NEWBRIDGE AVENUE.

LOT 4.—SMALL COTTAGE AND STABLE AT REAR OF 49 TRITONVILLE ROAD. Let to weekly tenants at 5s. each per week (free of taxes).

ALBERT E. DAVIS, Solicitor, 21 St. Andrew street, having Carriage of Sale.

P. M. SEALES, Solicitor, 11 College Green.

18, 21, & 22 HIGH ST.,

CONSISTING OF SHOPS AND HOUSES, IN BUSY THOROUGHFARE.

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COUNTY OF MEATH.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION OF VERY VALUABLE THOROUGHBRED HORSES, HUNTERS, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, HARNESS, VEHICLES, AND RESIDUE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, AT

MAHONSTOWN, KELLS.

JOSEPH LOWRY and SONS are favoured with instructions from Major John McClintock to SELL BY AUCTION at MAHONSTOWN HOUSE,

ON THURSDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, 1919,

AT THE HOUR OF 12 O'CLOCK SHARP,

THE FOLLOWING VERY VALUABLE THOROUGHBRED HORSES, HUNTERS, ETC.:—

1. SAINTY, Stallion, 1907, 16.3 hands, by Sainty—Foin (winner of the Derby and sire of Rockland, out of Gantlet (winner of £8,000 in stakes), dam of Grey Plume and Duke of Westminster.
2. FILEPINA, Brood Mare, 1909, by Saint Martin, out of Filepa; covered by Sainty.
3. DELANTE (a winner), Brood Mare, 1913, by St. Denis out of Atlantis, by St. Serf; out of Musketry, by Musket; covered by Sainty.
4. EAGER ALICE, Brood Mare, 1912, by The Gull out of Mormon, by Mormon out of Bright Alice, by Machouth; covered by Sainty.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS.

2 Carts and Cribs, Pony Cart, 2 Harrows, Mowing Machine (Victor), 2 Hay Slides, Tumbling Rake, Single Plough, Swath Turner (Blackston), Metzt Roller, Double Turnip Sower, Scuffler (Pierce), 2 Lawn Mowers, Winnowing Machine, Reaper and Binder (McCormick), Wheel Barrow, 40 gallon Boiler (almost new), Grass Harrow, Scotch Harrows, Sewing Machine, in perfect order; Wire Netting, Garden Tools, Hen Cages, Feeding Troughs, Flower Pots, Watering Cans, Stable Buckets, 2 Oak Planks, and a quantity of Planks, Mangolds, Hay, etc., etc.

"HARNESS AND VEHICLES.

4 Gent's Saddles (Whipp), Lady's Saddle (Whipp), 3 Sets Cart Harness, 2 Sets Pony Harness, Set Carriage Harness, Bridles, Rollers, Leathers and Irons, Head Collars, Horse Clothing, Harness Room Fittings, Tub Pony Trap, 4in Rubber Tyres, Jog Seat, Dublin; Rail Trap by Julian, Cork, Double or Single Brougham by Windover, London.

FURNITURE.

Telescope Dining Table, Mahogany; Oak, Deal, and Bamboo Tables; Mahogany Book Shelf, Folding Chairs, Kitchen Chairs, Easy Chairs, Wardrobes, Presses, Dressing Tables, Washstands and Ware, Axminster and Turkey Carpets, Mats, Brussels and Ingrains, Brass and Iron Beds, Hair, Fibre, and Wire Mattresses; Two and Four-Fold Screens, Chest of Drawers, Linoleum, Oil Painting, Fender, Bales, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sewing Machine, in perfect order; Cream Separator, Milk Cooler, Minimax Fire Extinguisher, Fishing Rods, Revolving Barrel Churn, Wolsey and Kitchen Utensils, etc., etc.

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KELLS AND NAVAN.

Kells, 10th November, 1919.

"LEST WE FORGET."

RATHFARNHAM WAR MEMORIAL HALL.

THE AUCTION IN AID OF THE BUILDING FUND

FOR THE ABOVE WILL BE HELD

AT No. 1 BROOKLINE, TERENURE ROAD

(WHICH HAS BEEN KINDLY LENT BY THE OWNER),

ON THURSDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER, AT 11.30 O'CLOCK SHARP.

THE SALE WILL INCLUDE SEVERAL HUNDRED LOTS.

Comprising, briefly, an Order for 1 Ton of Coal, several Gross Matches, 1 cwt. Soap, several Stones of Sugar, Carved Mahogany Display Cabinet, on Carved Mahogany Table; square do. on Stand, Sewing Machine, Lawn Mower, Smoker's Cabinet, New Wire Mattress, 4ft. 6in. x 6ft. 6in.; Music Stool, Card Table, Mahogany Wash Stand, Italian Antique Easy Chair, Daisy Vacuum Cleaner, Cut Glass Liqueur and Small Silver Loving Cup, Spade Guinea, Silver Napkin Rings, Silver Card Case, Silver Salts, Silver Tea Service, Silver Menu Holders in case, Silver Vase, Dishes, etc., Pierced Cake Baskets, Oriental Solid Gold Bracelet, Rolled Gold Watch Bracelet, Table Glass, Jardinieres, Kitchen Table, Dressing Cases, quantity Home-made Jam, Fancy Work, Black Ostrich Feather, Prostaion, Thermos Flask, Child's Cot, Fatherless and Records, Set Golf Clubs, a B.E. Gun, which will not be on view, but will be produced at the time of Sale.

GIFTS OF FURTHER GOODS WILL BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.

On View To-morrow and Wednesday, November 25th and 26th, from 12 to 4 p.m.

Admission Tickets 1s. each, which will admit to both View and Sale.

ON VIEW THIS DAY, FROM 11 A.M. TO 6 P.M.

AUCTION OF CARPETS.

ON

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY) AND WEDNESDAY, 25TH & 26TH NOV.,

AT 25 BACHELOR'S WALK, DUBLIN.

JOSEPH F. KEOGH and CO. HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION

OVER £5,000 WORTH OF

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COMPRISING:

Ellore, Calcutta, Malabar, Mirzapore, and Hong Kong Carpets and Rugs; also super Wilton, Moquette, Axminster, Velvet Pile, Brussels, and Art Carpets, all of various sizes; also a large variety of Axminster, and Wilton Hearth, Bedroom, and Corridor Rugs, Billiard Table Surrounds, several Rolls of Stair Carpeting (36, 27, and 22½ inches wide, respectively) to be cut to lengths, as per requirements.

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"MUNSTER LODGE," KILDARE.

ON WEDNESDAY, 26TH NOVEMBER, AT 10 O'CLOCK,

IMPORTANT AUCTION OF THE VALUABLE CONTENTS

OF THREE EXCELLENTLY FURNISHED HOUSES,

ASSEMBLED AT ABOVE FOR CONVENIENCE OF SALE.

DETAILED LIST ON APPLICATION TO THE AUCTIONEERS,

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ON VIEW TO-DAY. SALE TO-MORROW, 12.30,

AT 7 LONGFORD PLACE, MONKSTOWN.

RESIDUE SALE OF FURNITURE, PIANO, &c., &c.,

AS ALREADY FULLY ADVERTISED.

CARDS OF ADMISSION TO VIEW AND SALE ONE SHILLING.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Commission.

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McMULLAN & CO.'S FURNITURE AUCTIONS EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY.

ON TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), AT 30 BACHELOR'S WALK,

WE WILL SELL BY AUCTION

A VERY LARGE COLLECTION OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE & EFFECTS.

COMPRISING:—

6ft. INLAID MAHOGANY BOW-FRONTED SIDEBOARD, WITH BRASS RAILS AT BACK; Mahogany, Oak, and Walnut Sideboards; Set of 12 Oak Dining Chairs, in Morocco Leather, with Panelled Backs; 12 Dining Chairs, in Morocco Leather; 6 Oak Dining Chairs, in Crimson Morocco Leather; Set of 10 Antique Dining Chairs; Seven-piece Drawing-room Suite, in Figured Velvet; two Easy Chairs; Seven-piece Ebonised and Gilt Drawing-room Suite, in Silk Tapestry; Occasional Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany Shaped Falling-leaf Table, Walnut Xanthi Table; INLAID WALNUT CARD and WORK TABLE, combined; French Gilt Chair, in Silk Tapestry; KIDNEY-SHAPED INLAID WALNUT WRITING TABLE, with BRASS GALLERY and LEATHER TOP; A GILT ITALIAN MIRROR, A GILT SHIELD-SHAPED SWING GLASS; Small Mirror, in Carved Ivory Frame; A LARGE GILT FRENCH OCTAGONAL TABLE, with GLASS TOP; an Antique Mirror, in Gilt and Green Frame; AN EMPIRE MAHOGANY LONG CLOCK CASE, INLAID WITH BRASS; two Mahogany Cheval Screens, with Painted and Embroidered Panels; ITALIAN EBONY CABINET, WITH PIETRA DURA DECORATION AND BRAVY ORMOLU MOUNTS; a large Couch, Upholstered in Red Silk Tapestry; Gilt Console Table and Glass, Antique Gilt Wall Mirrors; Chippendale Mahogany Corner China Cabinet, with Diamond-pane Doors; SATINWOOD INLAID CABINET; Walnut and Gilt Overmantel Glasses, Afternoon Tea Tables, Loo Tables, Brass Kerb Suites; THREE-PIECE CHESTERFIELD SUITE, IN FRENCH TAPESTRY; Mahogany Round Tables, a Pair of Mahogany-framed Corner Seats, in Silk Tapestry; Inlaid Mahogany China Cabinet; two Louis Seize Arm Chairs, in Red Silk Tapestry; Walnut Hall Table, Oak and Mahogany Hall Stands and Chairs to match; TWO 5ft. MAHOGANY BEDROOM SUITES, IN PERFECT CONDITION, COST £85 and £70; Satin Walnut Bedroom Suites, four Mahogany Chests of Drawers, Wardrobes, Washstands, Dressing Tables, Toilet Glasses; TWO 5ft. BRASS BEDSTEADS, with HAIR MATTRESSES, FEATHER BOLSTERS and PILLOWS; 5ft. French Brass Bedstead and Box spring Mattress; Black and Brass Bedsteads, Wire and All-Hair Mattresses, Bedding; Kitchen Furniture and Utensils; Curtains, Carpets, Rugs, Linoleum.

PIANOS, BY COLLARD & COLLARD, AND OTHER MAKERS.

A COLLECTION OF VALUABLE OIL PAINTINGS

BY OUSHOORN, SMIRKE, R.A.; JONES, R.A., AND OTHER NOTED ARTISTS; SUBJECTS INCLUDE PORTRAIT OF PRINCESSE DI TESTI, FORMOSO PARTRAIT OF CLAUDIA, OVERSCHIE-BY ROTTERDAM DE HEEBERG, STORMWUR; WINTER DE GRACHT; ROMEO AND JULIET, THREE SMALL SEVRES PLAQUES, &c.

SILVER-PLATED WARE,

LARGE ROSE BOWL, on stand, beautifully engraved; KNIFE TRAY, with gardroon edge; TEA URNS, DISH COVERS, ENTREE DISHES, THREE-HANDLED LOVING CUP, LARGE HOT WATER DISH AND COVER, A CHASED GOBLET, CRUETS, DRINKING MUGS, GRAVY SPOONS, SALT SPOONS, &c.

ON VIEW FROM NOON TO-DAY.

ORDER OF SALE—CARPETS, 12.30 o'clock; PIANOS, 2.30 o'clock. 'PHONE 2337.

All goods sent in to us for Sale must be placed in our hands absolutely without reserve.

McMULLAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

30 BACHELOR'S WALK.

THIS DAY (IN CONTINUATION).

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WILL OFFER

FOR SALE BY AUCTION TO-DAY, WITHIN THEIR WELL-KNOWN GALLERIES,

10, 11, AND 12 BACHELOR'S WALK,

AT ONE O'CLOCK PRECISELY,

REMAINDER OF FURNITURE REMOVED FROM KILDARE

(AS ALREADY ADVERTISED), TOGETHER WITH A LARGE COLLECTION OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Including—WARDROBES, CHESTS OF DRAWERS, TOILET TABLES, in various woods; MASSIVE BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS, SUPERIOR BEDDING, SIDEBOARDS, CABINETS, TABLES, SETS of CHAIRS, 80 PAIR CARPETS, CURTAINS, RUGS, and a LARGE and VARIED ASSORTMENT of MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY. PURCHASERS TO PAY FIVE PER CENT. FEES.

JAMES HILL & SON, AUCTIONEERS AND VALUERS, 10, 11, 12 BACHELOR'S WALK.

SALE TO-MORROW (TUESDAY). ON VIEW THIS DAY

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BY DIRECTION OF THE DISPOSAL BOARD (HUTS AND BUILDING MATERIALS SECTION).

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION OF

BUILDING MATERIALS AND PLANT,

AT BALDONNELL AERODROME, CLONDALKIN, CO. DUBLIN,

AND AT COLLINSTOWN, SANTRY, CO. DUBLIN,

ON TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), NOVEMBER 25TH,

AND FOLLOWING DAYS.

Comprising:—TIMBER, BUILDING MATERIALS, Buildings, Boilers, Nails, Wagons, Locomotive Engine, Turntables, Railway Tracks and Sleepers, Switches, Tools, etc., etc.

ON VIEW TO-DAY (MONDAY), 24th Nov., on both Badonnell and Collinstown.

Admission by Catalogue, which is to be had on application to the Auctioneers, Messrs.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

110 GRAFTON STREET, DUBLIN.

MODERN FURNITURE.

MESSRS. BENNETT and SON will SELL BY AUCTION, AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 6 UPPER ORMOND QUAY,

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), THE 25TH NOV, & FOLLOWING DAY,

AN EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF MODERN FURNITURE OF THE HIGHEST QUALITY

A Boudoir Grand Pianoforte, by Rechstein; 2 Upright Grands, by Collard and Pohlmann; three Fireproof Safes (two by Milner); Vost Typewriter, Wilton, Axminster, and Turkey Carpets; Oil Paintings, Engravings, and Decorative Chimney Hall and Staircase Clocks; Richly-Damasked Dining-room Suite, Oak ditto, Mahogany Sideboards and Dining Tables, Sets of Chairs, Dinner Waggons, French Bonne Nickey and Cabinets, Chesterfield and Nelson Couches, Easy Chairs, Mahogany and Walnut Card Tables, Oak Roll-top Desk, Mahogany Pedestal Drawer ditto, Inlaid Cabinets and Pier Mirrors, Persian Corner Cabinet, Carved Oak Cabinets, Hall Appointments, Inlaid Mahogany and Brass Bedsteads and Bedding, Mahogany and Walnut Suites, Two and three-door Wardrobes, Chests of Drawers, Dressing Tables and Washstands, Linen, Blankets, Table Glass and China, Cutlery and Plated Ware, Brass Fire Sets, a three-quarter length Cue Billiard Table with all Appurtenances, Singer Sewing Machine, Saddles, an Excellent 4 Hunting Clothes and 2 ditto Saddles, all in good condition, also Bicycles, and other Miscellaneous Effects, WHICH MAY BE VIEWED TO-DAY (MONDAY). Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Auction

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NEXT THURSDAY, 27TH NOVEMBER,

SALE OF SMALL FARM OF LAND, HELD FOR EVER,

NEWTOWN, LECALLY, CO. KILDARE.

P. O'CONNOR and SON are favoured with instructions from A. W. Weal, Esq., to SELL BY AUCTION, at their ESTATE SALEROOMS, 40 QUEEN STREET, on THURSDAY, NEXT, 27th NOVEMBER, at 1.30 o'clock, all the Interest in part of the Lands of Newtown, containing 1a. 1r. 22p., Statute measure, held for ever, subject to the yearly fee-farm rent of £2 12s.

The land is in grass, and, as it practically adjoins the town of Leixlip, should be of great value for accommodation purposes.

Messrs. WM. FRY and SONS, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale, 14 Lower Mount street.

NEXT THURSDAY.

SALE OF FARM, WITH SLATED COTTAGE AND A SUBSTANTIALLY STONE-SLATED HOUSE, FORMERLY A MILL, PURCHASED UNDER THE SAMBOURNE ACT.

MILL FARM, TULLOG, NAUL, CO. DUBLIN.

P. O'CONNOR and SON are favoured with instructions from the Misses Ronis to SELL BY AUCTION, at their ESTATE SALEROOMS, 49 QUEEN STREET, on NEXT THURSDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, at 1.30 o'clock, all the Interest and Goodwill in that Farm known as Mill Farm, Tullog, adjacent to the Village of Naul, 24 miles from Balbriggan Railway Station, and 8 miles from Drogheda, containing about 30a. 2r. 35p., Statute measure, held for ever, subject to the very moderate terminable annuity of £20 2s., now in the third decade, commencing 1911. The lands are all under crop, and have been let on the 11 months' system for some years back, showing satisfactory profit rents.

For further particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

MAXWELL, WELDON and CO., Solicitors, 40 North Great George's street; or to the Auctioneers.

THIS DAY (MONDAY), 24th NOVEMBER.

KILLEANEY, MAYNOOTH, for Mrs. Reain—250 Acres Grazing, in divisions, including 1st and 2nd Crop Meadows. Sale at 12 o'clock punctually.

THIS DAY.

BALLYNARE, DUNROYNE, for Mrs. A. Gogarty—Letting of 40 Acres excellent Land, in one or two divisions, well watered and fenced. Letting at 1 o'clock, after Auction at Killeaney.

THIS DAY.

BALLYNARE, DUNROYNE, For J. Mulligan, Esq.—2 Acres Grazing and 5 Acres 1st Crop Meadow. Letting at 1.30 o'clock.

THIS DAY.

ADAMSTOWN, adjoining Lucan Railway Station (G.S.W.R.), for J. Cavanagh, Esq.—Letting of 23 Acres Grazing, including part 2nd Crop, with Aftergrass thereon. Letting at 3 o'clock.

TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 25th NOVEMBER.

IMPORTANT AND ATTRACTIVE EXECUTORS' SALE OF EXCELLENT AND SUBSTANTIAL MAHOGANY FURNITURE, etc., including the CONTENTS of the DRAWING-ROOM, DININGROOM, BREAKFAST-ROOM, and SEVERAL BEDROOMS, also KITCHEN AND DAIRY UTENSILS, and many other Miscellaneous Lots; LIVE STOCK, FARMING AND OUTDOOR EFFECTS.

GINNETT'S PARK, SUMMERHILL, CO. MEATH.

P. O'CONNOR and SON are favoured with instructions from the Executors of the late Mr. P. Barry TO SELL BY AUCTION, on the Premises, as above, on TO-MORROW (TUESDAY), 25th NOVEMBER, the following:—

LIVE STOCK—40 Head 2½-year-old Bullocks; Heifers, and Cows, in forward condition; Springers, Milch Cow, 2-year-old and Yearling Cattle.

FARMING EFFECTS, FARM PRODUCE, etc.—About 20 Tons excellent Upland Hay, quantity of Oats, variety of Farming Implements.

FURNITURE, etc.—Excellent Cottage Piano, by Kirkman; Walnut Suite, in Tapestry; Console Table and Mirror; Mahogany Telescopic Dining Oval Table, Occasional and Side Tables, Mahogany Sideboard, with Silver-plate Back; Mahogany Cabinet, Drawingroom, Diningroom, and Sittingroom Chairs, Brass Chairs, Couches, Overmantels, Music Stool and Cabinet, Antique Writing Desk, Antique Brass Candlesticks, Jardinieres and Stand, Pedestal and Bracket Lamps, Antique 8-day Clock, Sets of Books, Pictures and Ornaments, Hall Stand, Contents of Six Bedrooms, comprising Mahogany Wardrobe, Dressing Tables, Chests of Drawers, Presses, Washstands and Ware, Beds and Bedding, Brass Cornice Poles, Tapestry Curtains, Brussels and Axminster Carpets, Rugs, Linoleum, quantity of China, Glass, and Delph; 2 Sewing Machines, Kitchen Furniture and Utensils, Chairs, Milk Pans and Dairy Requisites, and many other Miscellaneous Effects.

Sale at 11.30 o'clock sharp, commencing with the Live Stock and Outdoor Effects, finishing with Furniture.

STORE CATTLE SALES

EVERY THURSDAY. ENTRIES INVITED.

R. & J. WILKINSON,

Auctioneers, etc.,

40, 41 PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN.

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LONSDALE.

IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE RESIDENCE AND LANDS,

HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, On SATURDAY, 6th DECEMBER, 1919,

At 3.30 o'clock,

At the Offices of the Auctioneers,

THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, WEXFORD,

For Patrick Donovan, Esq.,

Who is changing his residence, the beautiful Residence known as

LONSDALE, KYLE, CO. WEXFORD.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

The House contains 3 reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, bathroom, 3 w.c.'s, kitchen, with up-to-date range and water laid on; scullery, pantries, lamp room, etc. The whole house is laid out in the most convenient manner, and repaired regardless to cost.

The entire House is equal to new, and the sanitary arrangements are up-to-date, and is ready for immediate occupation without any further outlay.

The Lands contain 75 statute acres, or thereabouts, of prime land. Twelve acres are sown with winter oats (second crop), nine acres stubble land (first crop), eight acres stubble land (second crop), two acres under green crop; remainder of the lands are all under grass, well fenced and watered. The entire lands are laid out in convenient-sized fields, and whilst in the Vendor's occupation have yielded exceptionally heavy corn crops, which commanded the best market prices.

The farmyard Buildings comprise a very good dwellinghouse, and a range of newly-slated houses surrounding four sides of a square farmyard, the third being detached from the house and pleasure grounds.

The farm buildings consist of, beside dwellinghouse, a nine-horse stable, eight cattle stalls, fowlhouses, piggeries, carpenter's shop, tool housed, coach-house, motor house, and lofts over the entire range of buildings. There is a never-failing supply of running water in the farmyard.

The walled-in garden comprises one and a half acres, with potting and tool houses, and is well stocked with fruit trees and has a never-failing supply of running water. There are three conservatories in splendid condition close to the house.

The pleasure grounds are nicely laid out and planted with many valuable shrubs.

Lonsdale is situated five miles by road from Wexford, three-quarters of a mile from Killurin Station of D. and S.E. Railway Company, and is conveniently to churches and schools. It is held in Fee-simple, subject only to usual rates, on a low valuation of £86 15s.

The House is built on a slope facing the River Slaney, on the west side, and commands a picturesque and romantic view on both sides of the beautiful River Slaney. There are in connection with the holding a valuable salmon draft, extended boating facilities, and a berth for discharging or loading lighters.

Immediate possession will be given.

Vendor reserves the right to all growing crops.

Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from Messrs. HUGGARD and BRENNAN, Solicitors, Rowe street, Wexford; or

WALSH & CORISH,

Auctioneers,

WEXFORD and TAGHMON.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,

38-39 SOUTH GT. GEORGE'S ST.

HOUSES AND LANDS SOLD AND LET.

AUCTIONS OF HOUSE PROPERTY

FURNITURE, &c., CONDUCTED

Carrickmines, 3 Acres, (about)

A HANDSOME, MODERN RESIDENCE FOR SALE, with POSSESSION; within 5 minutes' walk of rail station, golf links, and tennis grounds, enjoying lovely views, and containing square hall, 3 fine reception rooms, 7 bedrooms, servants' rooms, hot bath, pantries, motor-house, large garden, tennis ground, paddock; two disrepted, with no basement. Price £5,000. Subject to £17 12s. Lease 250 years. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Grafton Street (Vicinity)—

HANDSOME SHOP and UPPER PART TO LET, suitable for Blouse, Millinery, etc.; high-class trade. Good thoroughfare. Rent £350 and taxes.—Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Ground Floor Office and Store

WANTED by First-class Firm. Rent about £130-£150 per annum. Replies to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Ground Rent £135 4s. for Sale

PAID BY ONE TENANT, OUT OF VALUABLE BUSINESS PREMISES, CITY OF DUBLIN. Let for ever, and again sub-leased at higher rental to well-known Company. Price, £2,650. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

Mountjoy or Rutland Squares

—WANTED TO PURCHASE, with early possession, a good House in either of above squares. Must have modern improvements, and be in good repair. Replies to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

The Curragh, Newbridge, &c.

—WANTED AT ONCE, a well Furnished Detached House, with 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, and 2 or 3 servants' rooms; stabling, etc. Replies to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street.

DOCKRELL LIMITED,

8TH. GT. GEORGE'S ST, DUBLIN

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

110 GRAFTON STREET.

CARRICKMINES—TO BE SOLD, with immediate possession, a modern Residence, standing in 3 acres, beautifully situated, subject to only £17 10s. per annum. Lease, 250 years. Apply accommodation for gentleman's family.

FITZWILLIAM SQUARE—FOR SALE, £4500, a splendid Residence in the best part of the Square, in perfect order; possession to purchaser. Subject to £100 per annum. Sole by appointment.

MERRION SQUARE—TO BE SOLD, the lease of a handsome Private or Professional Residence in the best part of Merrion square, with possession to purchaser.

STILLORGAN ROAD, DONNYBROOK

TO BE SOLD or LET, with Immediate Possession, a gentleman's Residence, standing in 8 Acres, beautifully situated; good gardens, out-offices, fields, etc.; a few minutes' walk from tram.

CO. LIMERICK—FOR SALE, fee-simple, a large and handsome modernised Mansion and Demesne of 400 acres, closely situated, within 1 mile of a Railway Station. Hunting, Fishing, and Shooting. Full particulars can be had from James H. North & Co., 110 Grafton street, Dublin.

CLYDE ROAD—SALE, with possession, nice detached House on this favourite road, with possession to purchaser. Has excellent stabling and good garden. £2,050

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.,

110 GRAFTON STREET.

BRAY VICINITY.

TO BE SOLD.

HANDSOME RESIDENCE, standing on five acres, nicely situated, held in Fee-simple; possession to Purchaser; particulars to Principals only.—HERBERT MALLEY, Solicitor, 32 Nassau street, Dublin.

£250 OFFERED FOR LARGE UNFURNISHED HOUSE, South City, or near Stephen's Green, or would buy, with possession before Midsummer, 1920. State details in confidence to ARTHUR JONES and SON, Auctioneers, Greystones.

HISTORIC ABODE TO LET.

15 miles South of City, in enchanting demesne of superb sylvan beauty, TO LET, Unfurnished, with 10 or 20 acres; lounge hall, spacious suite of drawingrooms, diningroom, 8 family bedrooms, maids' rooms, hot bath; conservatory, peach house, stables, walled gardens. Details from ARTHUR JONES and SON, Auctioneers, Greystones.

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THE LAST WEEK

WALPOLES' SALE

Although linen prices are going up and up, Walpoles' have cut their prices down considerably so as to hold their old and well-tried Sale. So that the difference between Walpoles' Sale Prices and present and future prices is greater than ever—a saving well worth the consideration of every lady in Ireland. Now, the number of keen buyers who have taken advantage of this great saving is greater than ever, but every lady has not yet done so. And it is the latter that Walpoles' sincerely advise to buy now—this week, for next week will be too late. As regards quality, it is such that Walpoles' guarantee to replace or refund the money paid should there be any cause for complaint.

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SHEETS

Hemstitched Cotton Sheets

No. LD 20.

Lot HS 1. Fine Quality Strong Cotton Sheets. Both Sheets hemstitched. Splendid value; much below to-day price.
Single Bed Size, 72 x 3 yards. **Sale price, 25/6 pair**

Double Bed Size, 2½ x 3 yards. **Sale price, 33/3 pair.**

Hemstitched Pillow Cases to match, 20 x 30 inches. **Sale price, 2/6 each.**

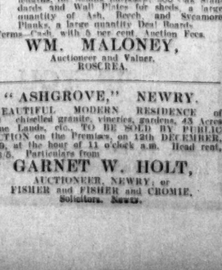
IRISH LINEN SHEETS FURTHER REDUCED

No. 202. Special Clearance Lot of Very Superior Strong Irish Linen Sheets. Hemstitched. Will give splendid wear.
Single Bed Size 2 yards. **Further Reduced to 79/6 pair.**

Double Bed Size, 2½ x 3 yards. **Further Reduced to 99/- pair.**

BEDSPREAD FURTHER REDUCED

A Bargain.



Irish Linen Bedspreads. Richly embroidered on heavy snow-white Irish Linen; will wash and do us beautifully.
Single Bed Size, 2 x 2½ yds. **Further Reduced to 37/6.**

Double Bed Size, 2½ x 2½ yds. **Further Reduced to 55/-.**

LACE CURTAINS

No. 2558. White.

3¼ yds. x 60" wide. 300 pairs of good, strong, heavy Curtains.

Splendid Value - **19/6** PAIR.

Fine All Linen Double Damask Table Cloth

No. LD 20.
Plain Satin Stripe or LD 21, Shamrocks on Stripe.

Cloths.	Sale Prices.
1¼ by 2 yards	34/6 each.
1¼ by 2½ yards	42/9 each.
2 by 3 yards	52/6 each.
2½ by 3½ yards	53/6 each.
2½ by 4 yards	64/- each.
2½ by 5½ yards	75/- each.
3½ by 4 yards	86/- each.

Napkins.
Breakfast Size ..... 36/6 doz.
Dinner Size ..... 51/- doz.
Ready Hemmed.

HANDKERCHIEFS AT HALF-PRICE

Genuine Bargains.

Hemstitched and Taped Mull (Children's Size) ..... 2/- per ½ doz.

Lace Trimmed, fine Mull (slight flaws) ..... 4/6 per ½ doz.

Lace Trimmed, sheer Linen ..... 4/6 per ½ doz.

Lace Embroidered, in white or cream, fine Linen, neat, fancy-worked design; perfect ..... 4/9 per ½ doz.

Ladies' Hemstitched, fine Mull, 12" sq. ..... 2/6 per ½ doz.

Ladies' Hemstitched, finest Linen Cambric, 12" sq. ..... 3/- per ½ doz.

Ladies' fine sheer Linen, taped border, small corded edge ..... At 4/11 per ½ doz.

Ladies' fine sheer Linen, taped border, well corded edge ..... At 4/6 per ½ doz.

Ladies' fine sheer Linen, Hemstitched ..... At 4/11 per ½ doz.

Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs, very fine Irish Linen, 19" sq. ..... At 4/3 and 4/6 per ½ doz.

Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs, very fine Irish Linen, Hemstitched, 18" sq. ..... At 4/11 per ½ doz.

Ladies' Hemstitched, full size Linen Cambric, 15/16" sq. ..... At 7/3; 54 ins., 9/11; 63 ins., 12/9; 72 ins. each.

Ladies' Hemstitched, real hem, 1.50" sq., at ..... 21/- per dozen.

Ladies' Hemstitched, real hem, 1.75" sq., at ..... 23/6 per dozen.

Coloured Bordered Irish Damask Cloths

Suitable for supper, breakfast, or nursery tables. These have slight defects, stains or small flaws, and are offered cheap to clear.
56 ins. sq., 4/3; 45 ins., 7/3; 54 ins., 9/11; 63 ins., 12/9; 72 ins. each, 16/6; 72 x 90 ins., 21/- each.

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White.

Fine thick absorbent Pile. Gives good wear.
Size 42 x 72 inches, Fringed ends. **Further Reduced to 11/3 each.**

Size 48 x 80 inches, Hemmed ends. **Further Reduced to 14/6 each.**

Hemstitched Bath Sheets, White.
A specially fine quality; short Pile, super fine make.
Size 48 x 70 inches. **Further Reduced to 13/6 each.**

Size 72 x 80 inches, extra large. **Further Reduced to 22/11 each.**

LACE CURTAINS

No. 6154. Ivory.

3¼ yds. x 32" wide
Splendid Value - **15/9** PAIR.

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WALPOLES' SALE CATALOGUE WILL BE SENT POST FREE

IMPORTANT CLEARANCE SALE OF MACHINERY and ENTIRE PLANT and TIMBER OF VARIOUS DIMENSIONS AT

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